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BRITISH GUNS RAIN SHELLS ON GERMANS

Fierce Artillery Fighting In Flanders Drive—Teuton Guns Less Active.

By Associated Press.

BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM, Aug. 3.—Artillery duels of considerable intensity continued last night along the British front in Flanders, but generally speaking, the German guns were less active this morning, and the situation was unchanged. At daybreak the Germans concentrated a heavy gunfire on the newly acquired British positions in the area south of the Ypres-Menin road.

Faced Many Obstacles

BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM, Aug. 2.—(Delayed.)—The British and French, and the Germans alike, along the front of the battle in Flanders still held their positions late today in an iron grip of bog land produced by the torrential rainstorm, which has been deluging the battle line from Tuesday evening until today, when it showed signs of moderating.

ARTILLERY FIGHTING.

Beyond artillery operations, which are continuing with great intensity, there is little activity with the exception of one or two points, and the French and British were resting in consolidated and strongly organized positions commanding the territory which they captured from the Germans in the first few hours' onslaught.

St. Julien today continued to be a storm center, the artillery of both sides pounding steadily at their opponents' positions about this place. The British were again in possession of the 500-yard front just north of Frezenberg, which the Germans wrested from them in a counter attack late yesterday. In a sharp drive last night after heavy artillery preparation the British forced the Germans from this strong position and have held it since. This was the only counter attack of any consequence delivered by the Germans since late Wednesday.

KILLED SNIPING GERMANS.

Detailed reports of Tuesday's battle show that the front between Hollebeke and La Basee Ville was the scene of some of the heaviest fighting of the day. The Australians and English, charging along this line, swept over large numbers of Germans lying in shell holes, who were overlooked in the semi-darkness. Immediately after the British troops had gone beyond these holes the Germans began sniping at the rear of the advancing forces. These snipers were eventually dealt with and the shell holes cleared. The morale of the German troops in this section is said to have been good and they made a stiff fight for the positions which they finally had to relinquish.

CONCRETE DUGOUTS BLOWN UP.

In the ruined village of Hollebeke the British were faced with large numbers of concrete dugouts which had no surface entrances but which were approached by tunnels. The attacking troops forced their way into these strongholds, which contained large numbers of men, and blew them to pieces with bombs. This underground tunnel is still filled with German bodies. Just north of Hollebeke two strongly held German positions were occupied without a stop. On the ground overlooking Wytschaete, the British encountered shell holes, camouflaged with wire netting and hedges which had been interlaced with barbed wire. This delayed their progress somewhat, but did not save the Germans. Fierce fighting occurred here and the Australians who were conducting the offensive carried the positions with bayonets, killing large numbers of the enemy.

One notable incident of the day's fighting occurred on the Warneton-Gapard farm road at a windmill on a slight elevation. This place previously had been bitterly contested because it overlooks the surrounding country, which is very flat. The Australians took the place in the early morning, but the Germans regained it the same night. At midnight the Australians charged the position with bayonets and ejected the Germans after sanguinary fighting. La Bassee Ville was also the scene of severe fighting and here, as at Hollebeke, were found dugouts which are now filled with their dead defenders who were bombed.

BRITISH REGAIN LOST GROUND

London, Aug. 3.—British troops, according to the official statement issued today by the British war department, already have regained part of the ground lost when the Germans penetrated the British front line trenches on Infantry Hill, to the east of Monchy Le Preux, last night.

Monchy Le Preux is on the Arras battle front in France. It is about two and one-half miles south of the Arras-Douai railroad.

FRENCH REPULSE GERMAN ATTACKS

Paris, Aug. 3.—Troops of the German crown prince, after an intense artillery bombardment last night, delivered several violent attacks against the French positions near Cerny, in the Aisne region, along a front of about 1,500 yards. The French official statement issued this afternoon says that all the attacks were repulsed.

On the Belgian front bad weather continues.

GERMANS WITHOUT NEWS OF GREAT FLANDERS BATTLE

Copenhagen, Aug. 3.—German newspapers of Thursday morning contain no details of importance on the battle in Flanders beyond the official reports. German war correspondents are as yet observing the battle from a safe distance, near Charleville, several hundred kilometres behind the front, and endeavor to give the news from the scanty material supplied by the military censor. That the correspondents observed instructions is evidenced in all the newspapers by the heading "specials from the front," and all state that the German artillery was able to hold its own with the Anglo-French in the preliminary bombardment. All of the accounts emphasize the mass character of the British and French attacks and all claim the preliminary victory, explaining, however, that the heavy fighting has not ended and may continue for weeks.

GERMANS FINE CITY OF LIEGE $100,000

Amsterdam, Aug. 3.—According to the Echo De Belge, the city of Liege has been fined 800,000 francs for disobeying an order given by the German authorities to demolish buildings damaged by fire on the Quai Des Pecheurs.

Liege, capital of the Walloon district, is the Belgian city, which offered such determined resistance to the Germans at the outbreak of the war when they invaded Belgium for the purpose of avoiding the French forts from Verdun to Belfort, and of outflanking the French northern and eastern armies. The twelve forts of Liege were repeatedly attacked by the Germans in massed formation from Aug. 4 until Aug. 12, when they finally were reduced by great 18.4 inch howitzers.

THREE-FOURTHS OF DRAFTED MEN WILL PASS TEST

Washington, Aug. 3.—Early and scattering reports from local boards do not indicate any increase in physical exemptions from the army draft over the average of 25.77 established in 1863.

Provost Marshal General Crowder said today that while no definite conclusion could be reached as yet, there was good reason to believe on the face of first returns from local boards that there would be no substantial increase in the proportion of those found physically unfit.

Results of the next steps in the selection proceedure, the weeding out of men with dependent families, also are not clear. It may be that further supplemental rulings will be necessary to give the local boards the general policies to be pursued to reach a decision in each case.

HARD FOR NEWLYWEDS.

The question of marriage to avoid military duty has already been passed upon, and that type of slacker will meet with a cold reception at the board's hands. It has been made clear to the board members that they are the judges of whether a registered man sought the shelter of matrimony to avoid military service and must act accordingly.

WAR TAX BILL IS COMPLETED

Measure Will Be Reported to Senate in Short Time.

Washington, Aug. 3.—The war department tax bill, increased from $1,672,000,000 to approximately $2,002,000,000, virtually was completed today by the senate finance committee and will be reported to the senate tomorrow or Monday.

REDUCE BEER TAX.

In preparing the final draft for the printer, the committee reduced the tax on beer by 25 cents a barrel to $1.50 a barrel in addition to the tax under the present law and increased rates on wines to about double the present taxes and estimated to yield $17,000,000 additional.

LACK UNIFORMS TO SUPPLY NEW NATIONAL ARMY

Washington, Aug. 3.—Failure of officials in the war department to secure a sufficient number of uniforms for the national army to be mobilized in September was severely criticised in the committee on appropriations of the House yesterday. Quartermaster General Henry G. Sharpe and others from his office were both before the committee.

It was admitted before the committee that not more than 150,000 uniforms may be expected by Sept. 15 for the young men being selected for the army and to be mobilized about that time.

The trouble is said to be due to the fact that large concerns having the contracts have been in a "squabble" over subletting certain contracts to smaller concerns and that as a result valuable time has been lost.

TEUTONS CAPTURE BUKOWINA CAPITAL

Berlin, Aug. 3.—(Via London)—Czernowitz, the capital of Bukowina, has been captured by the Teuton forces, according to the official statement issued today by the German general staff.

SCENE OF BITTER FIGHTING.

Czernowitz has been the scene of some of the most bitter fighting of the war, and the Bukowina capital has changed from Teuton to Russian hands altogether ten times.

Czernowitz was first captured by the Russians from the Austro-Hungarians on Sept. 4, 1914, only to be evacuated a few weeks later. In November of that year the Russians again occupied the city and held it until February 1915. In the following month the Russians again returned to the attack and after a terrific battle stormed the capital and drove the Austrians out. This time the Russians held the position for only two weeks. Twice in January, 1916, the seat of the crown land changed hands and in June of that year it was again captured by the Russians, and held until the present time.

Czernowitz is situated on a hill south of the River Pruth, and is about 140 miles southeast of Lemberg the capital of Galicia.

Before the war it had a population of about 70,000.

RUSSIANS QUIT BUKOWINA TOWN

Petrograd, Aug. 3.—Kimpolung, in southern Bukowina, has been evacuated by the Russians, the war office announced today.

The Russians are now engaged with the Austro-German forces on the River Bystritza.

Between the Dniester and the Pruth, the Russian retirement is continuing.

The Russian forces in southeastern Galicia, the official announcement says, after a battle with the Austro-Germans, returned across the Ilker Zbrocz at its confluence with the River Dniester.

DROP BOMBS ON AUSTRIAN ARSENALS

Rome, Aug. 3.—Large squadrons of Italian aeroplanes yesterday effectively bombed the arsenal and military works of Pola, the chief naval station of Austria-Hungary on the Adriatic, according to an official statement made today by the Italian war department.

RUSSIAN HELD AS TRAITOR

London, Aug. 3.—A dispatch from Petrograd to Reuter's, Ltd., announces that the military authorities at Kiev have arrested Ensign Krylenko, a member of the central executive committee of the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates, on a charge of circulating Maximalist propaganda in the eleventh army.

STOP FORAGING BY GERMAN TROOPS

Copenhagen, Aug. 3.—The favorite sport for hungry Berliners of foraging excursions to adjacent rural regions, according to German newspapers, received here, has been stopped by the military authorities, who have made the purchase or sale of eatables under which such conditions a crime punishable under martial law. Gendarmes have been instructed to confiscate all foodstuffs captured in transit.

COULDN'T SELL STORIES; KILLS SELF

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 3.—Walter Kerr, novelist and short story writer, is dead here today. His body was found last night at the home of Mrs. J. E. Sullivan, 1301 Gerard street. A bottle, which the police said had contained poison, was found near the body. A note stated he took his life because of despondency over the inability to sell his stories because of the war. His wife and two children live in northern California and a brother, Judge Harry Kerr, in Paxton, Illinois.

War News Summary

The Flanders front where the great offensive launched by the Entente on Tuesday is still being held up by unfavorable weather, remains the center of military interest. Along other sections of the line in the west, however, there is notable activity suggesting attempts to deflect the course of the main Entente effort.

Today's British official report revealed that the Germans last night delivered an attack on the Arras battle front, biting into the British line on Infantry Hill, an important eminence east of Monchy Le Preux. There was a swift reaction by General Haig's forces, and by this morning part of the ground had already been regained.

Likewise on the French front in the Aisne region there have been violent German attacks. The French were ready for these, however. The stroke was delivered on a front of about half a mile in the vicinity of Cerny. It failed under the French fire, the crown prince's troops suffering heavy losses.

On the Russian front the Austrian crown land of Bukowina has again been virtually overrun by Austro-German forces which were enabled to advance by reason of the recent disastrous break in the Russian lines to the north.

A Vienna dispatch today reports Czernowitz, the capital, once more in Austrian hands, while Petrograd announces that Kimpolung, in southern Bukowina, has been evacuated.

Czernowitz has changed hands frequently in the ebb and flow of the fighting during the course of the war, but was considered to have become Russian virtually beyond dispute when General Brussiloff swept all of Bukowina free from Austrian forces last year, and advanced far westward from the Bukowina border. It remained for the disorganization that developed in the Russian armies last month to upset these calculations.

URGES FEDERAL PROBE ON RIOTS

Washington, Aug. 3.—Federal investigation of the race riots in East St. Louis Ills., on July 2, by a congressional joint committee, was urged before the House rules committee today by Representatives Rodenberg, of Illinois, and Dyer of Missouri and a delegation of negroes.

SAYS NEGROES UNPROTECTED.

"The plain unvarnished truth," said Mr. Rodenberg, "is that civil government in East St. Louis collapsed and the ferocity, brutality and viciousness of the mob that committed the outrages beggars description. The police department joined the rioters and helped to shoot negroes. I am told the colonel in charge of the militia took no steps to handle the situation. A man in whose word I have confidence told me of a person who had been shot by a militiaman. Maurice Joyce, who, I think, will be the next federal judge of that district, told me that a negro started toward a group of eight militiamen for protection, that they pointed their bayonets at him and he fled back to the mob which shot and killed him, and Joyce himself had a narrow escape from being shot."

Representative Foster, of Illinois, a member of the committee, announced that he today received a telegram from the governor of Illinois saying he was making a thorough investigation and that no man implicated in the outrage would be spared.

Mr. Rodenberg recommended that investigation be made by a federal court through a special grand jury empaneled for the purpose and he especially wanted Judge Landis to conduct it. The department of justice sent a representative to confer with Judge Landis but the latter took the view that it was questionable whether, as an infraction of state law, the riot was a proper subject of judicial inquiry.

Threats within the last few days to burn the $10,000,000 plant of the American Aluminum company at East St. Louis, from which comes the clay for the aluminum used in manufacture of airplanes and other purposes at the various plants of the company, were disclosed by Mr. Rodenberg.

CARRIED BEER INTO "DRY" IOWA; JAILED

Davenport, Ia., Aug. 3.—Ormando Ointoniotti is in the county jail here today, awaiting a hearing on a charge of carrying liquor from wet territory to dry territory. He was arrested at the Davenport end of the government bridge last night by Deputy United States Marshal Andrew Peterson, and charged with a violation of the Webb-Kenyon law.

This is the first arrest of the kind made by federal officers here since Iowa went dry.

Twenty pints of beer were taken from Ointoniotti.

PLAN TO CONTINUE COLLEGE ATHLETICS

Washington, Aug. 3.—College athletics will be continued during the war, according to a decision of the national collegiate athletic association, in conference here. Representatives of most of the eastern and western colleges participated.

The action was prompted mainly by the recommendation of Secretary of War, Baker, who in addressing the delegates, urged that athletic competition be encouraged to fit college men for military service.

GERMAN VEGETABLE CROP FALLS SHORT

Amsterdam, Aug. 3.—The frontier correspondent of the Handelsblad reports that the vegetable crop in Germany is a great disappointment. A hurricane on Sunday last did great damage in the whole of western Germany. Many buildings were destroyed, thousands of trees were uprooted, field and garden produce everywhere suffered enormously, cereal crops were beaten down and destroyed, and fruit trees were torn up.

DEFY PROSECUTION GERMAN SOCIALIST

Amsterdam, Aug. 3.—The Deutsche Tages Zeitung challenges the German government to prosecute Dr. Cohn, Socialist member of the Reichstag for his alleged revelations regarding the crown council held at Potsdam July 5, 1915. The newspaper says it knows the revelations published in the London Times come from Stockholm direct and from the German independent Socialists, and it offers to give the fullest evidence in case the government desires to court martial Deputy Cohn.

The London Times asserted that a conference was held in the presence of Emperor William at Potsdam July 5, 1914, in which the political and military personages in Germany and Austria-Hungary took part when a plan was proposed to let loose the war. The Wolff Bureau, of Berlin, on Aug. 1 said it had been officially authorized to declare that the statement was a pure invention.

GERMAN ACCUSES EX-ENVOY PENFIELD

Amsterdam, Aug. 3.—Count von Reventlow, in an article in the Tages Zeitung, referring to Arthur J. Balfour's speech in the House of Commons, in which he spoke of the nationalities of Austria-Hungary determining their own course of future development, tells his readers of widespread machinations of American agents in Austria-Hungary, started by Former Ambassador Penfield long prior to the Austro-American breach.

The article says that Americans who left Austria soon after the breach talked confidently to neutrals of "impending complete political isolation of Germans in Austria, while in Hungary, also, secret organization of Entente nations and America soon would bear fruit." Both predictions have been fulfilled," says Count von Reventlow, who darkly adds: "How long the former ambassador to Constantinople, Elkus, remained in Vienna, or whether he is still there, we do not know."

Balfour's idea, says Count von Reventlow, is the dissolution of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy, which squares exactly with the aims of the Czech Poles.

BRITISH PRAISE GOMPERS STAND

London, Aug. 3.—The cable message from Samuel Gompers, head of the American Federation of Labor, to M. Jouhaux of the General Federation of Labor, and W. A. Appleton of the General Federation of Trade Unions, refusing to participate in the International Socialist conference, is welcomed by the Post. In an editorial the Post describes Mr. Gompers' message as admirable in sense, and delivered with admirable emphasis, adding:

"Once again the allies have to thank America for timely lead..... While our ministers haven't the courage to act on their convictions, Gompers has.....Assuredly an international conference without America would be too feeble to justify any further cringing by Ramsay McDonald and his confederates."

WOMEN TAKE PLACES OF FLOORWALKERS

Chicago, July 3.—Women took the places of men yesterday in Marshall Field & Co.'s retail store when places left vacant by the departure of floor walkers for army service were filled by the promotion of saleswomen. D. M. Yates, general manager of the store, said the policy will continue. More than 500 men of that store will go into service. Other large department stores here will follow the plan.

STATE OF SEIGE IS DECLARED IN GREECE

London, Aug. 3.—A state of seige has been declared in the whole Greek department of Attica, including Athens and Piraeus, according to a dispatch from Athens to the Exchange Telegraph company.

The department of Boeotia, adjoining Attica on the north, also was placed under martial law.

MICHAELIS ON PEACE TERMS

German Premier Says Developments May Bring Question to Head.

Copenhagen, Aug. 3.—According to a published account of conversations in Dresden, Chancellor Michaelis said that while he was ready to accept any opportunity given him to secure an honorable peace, the requirements of the hour for Germans was to avoid any manifestations of nervousness and prove to their opponents that Germany's might was unawakened.

Germany's opponents, Dr. Michaelis said, had been greatly encouraged by the exhibition of nerves in the latest inner crisis, and by the German longing for peace, which was interpreted abroad as a sign of weakening of the German people. Peace would be brought no nearer, he said, by such things, adding that the government would continue its efforts for peace, but would avoid earlier mistakes.

Chancellor Michaelis intimated that the prospects for a speedy peace were not bright, but that unexpected developments might at any moment bring the question to a head and produce tangible results.

GERMANY KNEW OF SERB EDICT

Washington, Aug. 3.—Germany had possession of Austria's ultimatum to Serbia fourteen hours before it was delivered to Belgrade, according to positive information which has reached officials here, and which was made public today for the first time.

It was stated that Former Foreign Secretary Zimmermann admitted this himself when pressed very closely as to Germany's foreknowledge of the action of her ally which precipitated the European war.

WEALTHY YOUTH, SEEKING TO FLY FOR U. S., KILLED

New York, Aug. 3.—Charles Fleischmann, son of Julius L. Fleischmann, former mayor of Cincinnati, was instantly killed last night when the hydro-aeroplane in which he was flying collapsed in Great South bay. Harry Witz, pilot of the machine, also was killed.

Fleischmann, who was a member of the First battalion, aviation corps, had left the naval station at Bay Shore, Long Island, for a ride with Witz, who have exhibition flights. They had driven to a height of about 100 feet when the machine was seen to turn over and Fleischmann was thrown out, falling in shallow water. Witz, who was strapped to his seat, went down with the plane.

BURIED ALIVE IN BIN OF SAWDUST

Davenport, Ia., Aug. 3.—Edward Stoldt, an employe of Gordon Van Tine company, was found dead last night in a sawdust bin of the company. Evidently, the sawdust had been packed tightly in the upper part of the bin and Stoldt had crawled in to loosen it. As he did so, the sawdust probably came down in an avalanche, burying the unforunate man so deeply that he was unable to extricate himself, and was smothered to death.

HOT WAVE OVER U. S. IS BROKEN

Washington, Aug. 3.—"The heated spell is at an end in all parts of the country," the weather bureau announced today, "although conditions in the far northwest indicate the return of warmer weather in northern districts within a few days.

DODGE DRAFT, SHOOT OFFICER

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 3.—A band of thirty alleged draft registers who are believed to have shot Deputy Sheriff J. A. Cross near Wewoka, yesterday and last night to have fired or dynamited the 'Frisco trestle bridging the South Canadian river between Frisco and Ada, are reported to have established themselves in the brush south of Sasakwa to resist attack. Posses have started from Konowa, Francisco and Ada to give battle to the band.

AUSTRO-RUSS PACT IS NEAR?

London, Aug. 3.—Camille Huysmans, the Belgian secretary of the International Socialist conference, in an interview today with a correspondent of the Dutch newspaper Handelsbladt, declared that Russia and Austria-Hungary were on the verge of coming to an understanding, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen to the Exchange Telegraph company.

Austria is not claiming anything from Russia, he says. The Polish question is to be considered as a matter between Russia and Germany.

INDEPENDENCE OF FINLAND DENIED

Provisional Russ Government Deals With Problem.

Petrograd, Aug. 2.—(Delayed)—The provisional government has refused to acknowledge Finland's independence law, and has instead, issued a manifesto dissolving the Landtag and appointed a general election on Oct. 1 declaring that the government, when the Landtag meets, will submit its own laws regulating to Russo-Finnish relations.

The manifesto, which is signed by all ten ministers, expounds the provisional government's contention that Finland enjoys independence only within the limits defined by her constitution, the essential factor of which is the position of the Emperor and Grand Duke, which has now passed to the provisional government. The independence law, the manifesto says, not being submitted for the sanction of the provisional government as the authority invested with the former Grand Duke's right of sanction, is unconstitutional and further declares that the government cannot "recognize the Finnish Landtag's right arbitrarily to seize the freedom of will of the coming constituent assembly." The fate of Finland can be decided only in agreement with the Russian people, the manifesto declares.

The minister for Finland took the manifesto to Helsingfors and delivered it to Governor General Stakovich, who read it to the senate.

8 U. S. GUNNERS SUB VICTIMS

London, Aug. 3.—Eight naval gunners were lost when the American tank steamer Motano was sunk by a submarine. Sixteen members of the crew also perished.

THE WEATHER



Chicago, Aug. 3—Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours, ending at 7 p. m. Saturday:

Fair tonight and Saturday; warmer Saturday in north portion.

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—The weather map at 8 a.m. today, showed:

Canadian Northwest—Generally clear; 50 to 60 above. Edmonton, raining, .20; Calgary, .14.

Northwest — Generally clear; 54 to 64 above.

West—Generally clear; 60 to 72 above. Omaha, .60; Des Moines, .04; Sioux City, .12.

Southwest—Clear; 68 to 78 above. Dodge City, .01; Concordia, .18.

Ohio Valley—Clear; 68 to 76 above.

IN IOWA AND ILLINOIS.

Weather conditions in Iowa and Illinois cities at 11 a.m. today:

Decatur—Cloudy; 90.
Clinton, Ia.—Clear; 88.
Aurora—Clear; 84.
Rock Island—Clear; 82.
Davenport, Ia.—Clear, 82.
Moline—Clear; 82.
Muscatine, Ia.—Clear; 81.
Ottumwa, Ia.—Clear; 85.
Burlington, Ia.—Clear; 87.
Bloomington—Clear; 87.
Danville—Clear; 84.
Peoria—Clear; 85.
Springfield—Part cloudy; 85.
Quincy—Clear; 85.
Dubuque, Ia.—Clear; 77.
Cedar Rapids, Ia.—Clear; 85.
Waterloo, Ia.—Clear; 78.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

7 p.m. Thursday	80
12 a.m. Friday	71
Noon, Friday	87
Highest Thursday	92
Lowest Friday	66
Sun rises (Standard time)	5:39
Sun sets	7:22

ITALY IS NOW STRONG FACTOR IN WORLD WAR

Small Nation Approaches Climax of Her Power by Defeating Austrians.

Rome, Aug. 3.—Italy is just approaching the climax of her power in the great war. Twelve months have witnessed consolidation of the Italian war machine, brilliant advances on all fronts where Italian soldiers face the foe and fullest utilization of the Italian navy's power in the Mediterranean.

ARMIES PUSH OFFENSIVE

Most recent of Italy's achievements were the two offensives in the Carso and the Trentino. Gorizia fell just a year ago and then Italy turned her eyes toward Laibach and Trieste. But winter gripped the fighters before plans materialized.

This spring, on May 9, General Cadorna began where he had left off last fall—but this time with more powerful offensive arms—in men, guns and munitions. The whole left bank of the river north of Gorizia fell to their arms. The lower slopes of Mount Hermada, the guardian of Trieste, were conquered. Trieste itself is directly menaced from a bare twelve miles.

Official estimates now place the number of Austrian prisoners held in Italy at 135,000—and of these at least 35,000 were taken in the spring offensives.

NAVY GETS 40 SUBMARINES.

Italy's navy has netted or sunk in the year past at least forty Austrian and German submarines. British "drifters" have given valuable aid in this work. The Italian navy is now co-operating effectively with British, Japanese and French squadrons in the Mediterranean to sweep the seas clear of enemy submarines.

The Italian flying corps, it is estimated, has dropped seventy-five enemy flyers in the year. It has carried out frequent raids over Austrian ports, including Trieste.

These achievements have cost Italy approximately $43,845,200,000 in a year. The present monthly cost of the war is close to $25,000,000. America's financial aid has been of great service in helping Italy to meet this tremendous strain.

LIVING COST UP 64 PER CENT.

The German submarine campaign has resulted in sky-rocketing living prices in Italy and in considerable discomfort. The situation, however, is far from serious. The cost of living is up nearly 64 per cent, from before the war. Coal is almost prohibitive. That for ships at seaboard is around $90 a ton. American shoes, formerly $8 and $10, cost more than $15 now. Sugar, butter and flour are rarities. Meat is scarce. But the Italian people do not appear to be suffering in the least from their deprivations.

Record Breaking Totals In United States Foreign Trade

Washington, Aug. 3.—Imports of merchandise into as well as exports from the United States during the fiscal year 1917 greatly exceeded the figures of former years, according to a statement just issued by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce of the Department of Commerce. In round numbers imports amounted to 2,659 million, and exports to 6,294 million dollars for merchandise only, thus showing an excess of exports or favorable balance of trade of 3,635 million dollars, with a total foreign trade of 8,953 million dollars.

Imports in 1917 show an increase of 461 million dollars over 1916, 985 million over 1915 and 765 million dollars over 1914—the last normal year before the war. Exports in 1917 were larger by 1,961 million dollars than in 1916, 3,525 million more than in 1915, and 3,929 million dollars over the 1914 figures.

The gain in the balance of trade in 1917 over previous years amounted to 1,499 million dollars over 1916, 2,540 million over 1915, and 3,164 million dollars over 1914, with increases in the total foreign trade of 2,422 million dollars over 1916, 4,511 million over 1915 and 4,695 million dollars over 1914.

For the single month of June, 1917, the total imports were 307 million dollars, of which 218 million dollars, or 71 per cent, were entered free of duty. The total during this month exceeds by 36 million dollars the imports of the previous month of May which up to that time were the highest in any one month.

Exports of merchandise during June amounted to 576 million dollars, the highest in any month with the exception of January, 1917, which shows exports valued at 613 million dollars.

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NEW SUNDAY RULE AT CHANUTE FIELD

Visitors to See Camp With Guides.

ALL READY FOR WORK

Army and Civilian Aviators Numerous.

It is authoritatively given out that visitors will be permitted on the Chanute aviation field at Rantoul on Sundays. Regular visiting hours have been fixed and during these hours visitors will be allowed on the field in charge of guides. The restrictions that have been placed on visitors is not a matter of military secrecy but because people come in such numbers that they would be a serious interferance.

On other days of the week it will be necessary to secure a pass from the commander in order to get on the field. This will not be difficult if one has any sort of decent excuse besides the curiosity of a sightseer.

CONSTRUCTION WORK FINISHED.

The construction work has been finished and the aviation field has been entirely turned over to the military authorities. The big force of teams that has been employed in hauling crushed stone for the roads was discharged Sunday.

There is still some trimming up to do, some odds and ends of construction to be finished up, but the field is now strictly a military reservation and subject to all of the restrictions and regulations that the army officers may see fit to fix.

One can see the flying just about as well from the outside of the field as from inside. In fact he can see flying from almost any part of Champaign county. An aeroplane does not excite and thrills after you have seen one in the air.

FLYERS ATTRACT NO ATTENTION.

Flyers soaring about over Champaign and Urbana scarcely attract attention. A Champaign newspaper man says that he happened to be watching an aeroplane over the city the other day because he knew the man that was flying. He noticed a flock of girls, a Sunday school class, perhaps, on their way to a picnic. They glanced up at the flying machine and went their way without a second look. They were not interested.

Inside the field one can see a good deal of interest besides the flying. There are the great planes at rest in their hangers, wrecked planes in the repair shop, men in uniform representing the various branches of the service, civilian flyers, the army motor trucks and automobiles hurrying about, student flyers busy grooming their machines and all of the paraphernalia of a flying camp every item of which is of interest.

GAS SUPPLY STATIONS.

There are for the convenience of the aeroplanes three gas supply stations distributed along the line of the road which stretches in front of the hangers. They are precisely such stations as one sees about town for the supply of automobiles. There are also portable square tanks with a capacity perhaps of a barrel and mounted on two wheels. With a motorcycle these can be hurried to any part of the field, or indeed to any part of the county. There are long steel trucks for the transportation of aeroplanes. These are trailers to be attached to motor trucks or automobile pleasure cars.

There is a flock of civilian flyers about the camp whose status it is not easy to determine. Some of them are employed as instructors, and one man is reported to be making $400 a week as an instructor although this story was not verified. Others of the civilians have the appearance of waiting for something to turn up. They do not seem to know exactly where they are in this army aviation game.

FLYERS TALK SHOP.

One thing which one can not help noticing is that the uniform is not the only difference between civilian flyers and army flyers. They are totally different types of men. A group of a dozen civilians one day last week when no flying could be done were loafing in the shade of a building up town. They were gossiping shop and it took but a moment for the stranger to learn their business. They were young men, probably all of them under thirty, and without exception they were lean and sinewy. They were about such men as one would expect to find in a group of automobile racers. They were a happy-go-lucky bunch and did not seem to be worried about anything. They talked of this and that but always about flying. There was some incidental mention of the bad spill which a machine had had on the Saturday before. It was noticed that they were particularly loth to assign a cause for it. "Well, we all saw it," said one man and no two of us saw it alike.

FRAIL MACHINE

There was mention of the "speed scout" by which they seemed to mean the fast and high flying war machines, none of which are to be seen on the Chanute field. "If you get a spill in a 'speed scout'" said one, "all they'll need to pick you up will be a shovel and a basket."

There was a little story of the delivery of a "speed scout" to the government. One of the requirements was that it should land at fifty miles an hour in a plowed field. It did this without killing the aviator but the machine was torn to pieces. The government accepted the machine because it had complied with the requirements. Then there was some discussion of the means of cranking a "speed scout" so that it will not go away from you before you get control of it.

Somebody had some photographs of New York Times machine that flew from Chicago to New York. There was a feeling that it had not made a good showing for a big, fine especially built machine. "Along comes Ruth Law with her little old stunt machine and puts it all over the big machine," said one man. One man expressed the feeling that Carlstrom had met with foul play and this expression met with general acceptance.

ARMY FLYERS FINE MEN

The army flyers, that is the officers are sturdy, businesslike sunburned men who look the typical trained soldier. They are bigger men than the civilian flyers. The student flyers strike you as the salt of the earth. They are almost without exception students picked from the colleges and they are earnest and enthusiastic. You hate to think of these fellows as one of these days being shot up by the German air craft guns or falling in conflict with German flyers. But it is part of the game for which these men are in training and it is these flyers that are destined to smother Germany.

THANKED BY HOOVER FOR SUGGESTIONS

Jack De Courcey Receives Letter from Food Director.

Jack De Courcey is in receipt of a letter from the secretary of Herbert C. Hoover thanking him for some suggestion which he had made regarding certain methods of conservation particularly in relation to the grain of the country. Mr. Hoover in the letter stated that he was open to good suggestions and that the plans for the work which he was giving his attention were not closed against any suggestions for improvement.



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You American farmers must supply food for us and for those at home. Your farm is your battle field and you can fight more effectively in the furrow than in the trenches.

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For example, here is just such a farm in Ohio, our number 4120, pictured and described on page 82 of the new Straus Red Book.



Farm No. 4120, 120 Acres, Putnam County, Ohio.

This is an excellent farm only ¾ of a mile north of Miller City, a market town on the New York, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad. It is located on a stone road in a Catholic neighborhood, only ¾ of a mile from a Catholic church and school. The buildings consist of a nice 1½ story 8-room frame house, good barn 28 x 36 with shed and crib attached, new double corn crib 28 x 40 granary overhead, tool house, wagon shed, granary, new poultry house and smoke house. The fences are of woven wire and in first class condition. There is a drilled well about 50 feet deep, wind pump and large cistern. The land lies level and is a good quality of clay loam, 100 acres in cultivation, 20 acres in new ground pasture. An investment of exceptional value. Price, $125 an acre.

Here is another farm, this one in our northeastern Indiana territory, our number 4085, pictured and described on page 66 of of the new Straus Red Book.



Farm No. 4085, 160 Acres, Kosciusko County, Indiana.

This is a splendid stock and grain farm located but 4½ miles from Syracuse and 5 miles from Milford, both good railway market towns. It is on a gravel road, 1 mile from school and ¾ of a mile from United Brethren and Dunkard Churches. The improvements consist of a 2-story 8-room frame house in good condition, telephone, bank barn 36 x 74 with 7½-foot stone foundation wall, double corn crib 20 x 26 with driveway, poultry house and ice house; all outbuildings in good condition. Fences are mostly of woven wire. There is a driven well and wind pump, nice young orchard of 25 to 30 trees. There are about 140 acres of level land and 20 acres that is gently undulating. Soil is a chocolate loam, clay subsoil. Water flows constantly through pasture. 102 acres in cultivation, 30 acres in blue grass pasture and 16 acres in timber. Price, $130 an acre.

These are only two of several hundred well-improved money-making Corn Belt farms which we own and offer in settled communities in northwestern Ohio, northeastern Indiana, Illinois, Minnesota, North Dakota and southern Ontario—richest land in all the world—where there are no failures in crops—where climate and rainfall and soil are dependable—where roads are good and markets are convenient—where your labor will count for most for your country and for yourself.

If you are in the market for a larger and better farm on which to render a greater service to your country and to yourself, send for the new Straus Red Book and investigate the Straus Quality Farms that you will find pictured and described in its pages. You will find it the most complete and most reliable Farm Buyer's Guide published.

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Spring Chickens

New Tin Cans for Tomato Canning

Corn Flakes per package 10c

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Washing Powder, per package 5c

Fancy Long Green Cucumbers.

Blended Tea Iceing Specials, per can .. 20c

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Buckmaster

1270 North Edward St.

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New Victor Records for August are here. Come and hear them played.

Linn & Scruggs DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY

Wool Skirts tailored to order for $1 when materials are bought here.

All Silk Skirts Are Going Away at Decidedly Lowered Prices

All Silk Skirts That Were Up to $18, Going now at	All Silk Skirts That Were Up to $35, Going now at
$11.50	$18.98

From our regular stocks, so they of course are the very smartest styles and highest qualities. Included are Taffeta skirts, elegant satin skirts and Khaki-Kool skirts, in an alluring diversity of models and colors. Size assortment still quite complete.



PURPLE *the color of the hour*

---Smart hats for early fall in this popular color will be specially featured in an advance showing Saturday. They will attract fashionable folks.

—An all-white, flesh or navy costume effect will be greatly enhanced and heightened by the addition of one of these new purple hats.

$3.98 to $12

Those Who Know the Quality and Fashion Supremacy of all Linn & Scruggs Shoes Can Best Appreciate the Extraordinary Values that are Emphasized During the Going Forward

August Clearances of Shoes

Prevailing Styles in Women's Boots, Oxfords, Pumps, Slippers and Athletic Shoes, Children's Low Shoes, White Canvas Footwear, Play Sandals, and Like Summer Styles All Are Going Into the Clearances at Savings Well Worth Heeding.

White Boots

$10.00 White Boots, sale price - - - - $7.95

$9.00 White Boots, sale price - - - - $6.95

$5 White Cloth Boots, for - - - - - $3.95



Gray Boots

$9.00 Gray Boots, sale price - - - - - $6.95

$8.00 Gray Boots, sale price - - - - $5.95



Oxfords & Pumps

White Washable Sports Oxfords and Patent, Dull and Glazed Pumps; Footwear that originally was priced at $6 and $6.50, August Clearance price—$4.45.



White Low Shoes

$4.00 White Pumps and Oxfords for - $2.98

$3.50 White Pumps and Oxfords for - $2.79

$3.00 White Pumps and Oxfords for - $2.48



Pumps & Slippers

Smart summer styles in plain pumps and favored modes in fancy strap slippers; included are patent, dull and glazed kid leathers; $5.00 footwear, choice—$3.95.

"Red Cross" Shoes

Those who have been wearing this famous make of shoe will appreciate this opportunity to buy "Red Cross" pumps and strap slippers. They are included here in patent and glazed kid leathers, with Cuban or military heels; the $4.50 kinds—$3.65.

Childrens Shoes

All children's low shoes, white canvas footwear, play shoes, etc., in the Clearance Sales, 20% OFF.

Fancy Ribbons-- A Final Out-go

Regularly up to 50c Saturday, the yard 25c

INCLUDING—Pretty floral effects, plaids, plain satins, moires and plain taffetas in ribbons from 5. to. 7. inches wide. These are the kind of ribbons most favored for hair bows, sashes, girdles, etc. Saturday, choice, a yard—25c.

New Modes in Neckwear

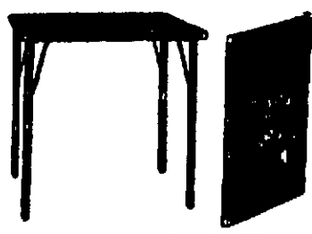
Silk Middy Ties in pretty sports colors for the girls' middy blouses, come in red, blue, green, black, gold, etc.—65c.

Net and Georgette Stocks, pretty lace trimmed and tucked styles; exquisite styles at—$1 and $1.75.

Sports Hats, Something New, silkized materials with a Cravanette finish; proof against moisture and dust; styles are very smart and wholly original and different. They are—$3.

Basement Specials—Seasonable Needs for Less

Folding Card Tables, made with a veneered top, covered with imitation leather. Easily handled, light and convenient for cards, light lunch serving, sewing, etc. Specin! values—$1.98.



Roberts' Egg Beaters and Cream Whippers—Glass jar with metal plungers; 1-pint size, usually sold for 35c; Saturday special—19c.

Garden hose—Moulded hose fully guaranteed:
12c grade, ½-inch hose, a foot—10c.
14c grade, ¾-inch hose, a foot—12c.

Lawn Mowers Reduced.

A regular $5 high wheel lawn mower, ball bearing, well made and very substantial; specially priced Saturday at—$3.98

35c Window Screens for---25c.

Adjustable window screens, 24 inches high, made with hardwood frame and good quality screen wire; regularly 35c for—25c.

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BEMENT LEAGUERS GIVE "KEG PARTY"

Bement, Aug 3 Fifteen automobiles carried forty or more members of the Epworth League to the Peterson grove east of town to a "keg" party. Kegs were used for seats. A ten gallon one held lemonade a smaller one held water. The games were under the direction of Kenneth Burgess.

Rev. N. C. Shirey left Wednesday for a three weeks' vacation which he will spend in Indiana.

Mrs Mary Delaney is visiting Mrs John Sweeney in Bloomington Her grandson, Carleton Smith, returned from there Tuesday.

Mrs. Sam Clark was called to Mowequa Tuesday by the death from appendicitis of her cousin, Glen Stewart. Mr. and Mrs C. L. Body and Mrs Shirley Body motored there Wednesday to attend the funeral.

Joseph H. Biggs and Miss Shultz of Atwood, were here Wednesday to meet Miss Lydia Biggs when she came from Champaign.

M. C. Camp is in Houston Texas

Mrs. M. C Camp and daughter, Frances, are visiting in Champaign

Miss Zelma Coffin has returned from a visit in Indiana and Ohio

J. M. Phillips threshed thirty two acres of wheat Tuesday that averaged forty-two bushels to the acre

PROF. GODDARD ENLISTS

Prof H A Goddard, science teacher in the high school last year, enlisted about a month ago He passed through Bement Wednesday on his way to St. Louis and then to Ft Sam Houston, Tex. He is a sergeant in the quartermaster's department

Charles Raymond Warner, son of Mr. and Mrs Hallee Warner, who has served three years in the regular army at Panama, has been promoted to second lieutenant of Co I 45th C S Infantry He has been at Ft. Harrison since June and is expected home next month for a short visit

Mrs Otto Weedman has returned from a two weeks' visit in Farmer City.

Miss Mabel McKenzie of Charleston, visited Miss Pearl Rose Tuesday. She has been employed to teach seventh grade in Monticello.

Mrs W R Camp is visiting her parents in Bethany this week

Miss Ethel Anderson's Sunday school class at the Methodist church expects to spend a few days early next week at Lodge's cabin near Monticello

Miss Nellie Alvord's violin class, assisted by other musicians will give a recital in Bement Tuesday evening, Aug. 14, to which everybody is invited

Mrs. Martha Lane and two children of Windsor, are visiting her son R. R. Lane and wife.

J. F. Curtis is visiting his mother in Gilboury

Miss Merna McKee, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. A Field the past two weeks will return aturday to her home in Chicago.

Miss Janice Baldridge of Decatur, is the guest of Mrs. T H. Ewing this week.

Miss Pearl Clark was hostess to the Standard Bearers Thursday evening.

The piano pupils of Miss Edith Rose will give a recital in the Christian church Tuesday evening Aug 7

Miss Nina Moore assistant postmaster, left Thursday for Red Oak, Ia., where she will pass her two weeks' vacation at the home of her brother R E. Moore. Miss Margaret Cloyd is substituting for her at the postoffice

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Scheibel and son, Herbert Jr., who motored here in their auto from Campbell, Neb. a distance 718 miles left Saturday after a weeks visit to relatives Mrs Scheibel was Miss Luella Burgess of Bement Mr. Scheibel was drafted and will enter the army as an electrical engineer

C. M. Burgess, Misses Leila and Dorothy Burgess Mrs Clair Wilcox and daughter, Miss Ruth, motored to Champaign Sunday and were guests of Miss Sara Ogden. Miss Leila Burgess remained to attend the teachers' institute.

Mr. and Mrs A. L Wilkinson were guests of Mr and Mrs. G. L. Burgess Monday evening.

Hert Marlow and his men are building corn cribs for G. L. Burgess this week.

James Deforce was a business visitor in Champaign Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs James Dillon Miss Anna Dillon and Will Lovett motored to Clinton Sunday and were guests of Miss Anna Lovett

M. R. Grant of Streator, is installing an elevator in G. L. Burgess' corn crib.

MT. PULASKI.

Rev A. A. Masolin pastor of St John's Lutheran church, wife and baby, who have been visiting relatives in Kansas, returned home this week Rev Mr. Marolin have been notified to report next week to the exemption board at Lincoln his number in the selective draft being one of the first drawn

The latest report from Mrs. Amanda Pumpelly formerly of this city but now a resident of Massapequa N. Y., is that on account of her age and the serious nese of the operation the doctors at Hempstead had refused to operate. They think that she may get up again from this attack but will have to live on liquid foods.

C. M. Silkey went to Ogden Wednesday night to attend the funeral of George Freeman, who died suddenly there this week from being overheated. The two were boyhood chums. Mr Silkey will go on the Danville before returneing home, to visit his brother

The men of this locality, whose numbers appear first in the selective draft have received orders to report next week to the exemption board at Lincoln.

Miss Elva Donnan of Peoria, who has been visiting relatives at Chestnut was a guest here this week of Miss Hilma Shoup

J. F. Gordon and Clarence West came home Wednesday evening from Havana, where they had been on a fishing expedition

Mrs August Zimmerman ran a nail into her foot Wednesday and is laid up at her home on South Lafayette street

Snyder & Snyder, contractors, voluntarily raised the wages of their men 50 cents on the day last week.

The majority of the active workers and most enthusiastic members of the Red Cross chapter here are of German descent.

Mrs Frank B. Snyder and children, Caroline and John Snyder went to Chestnut Thursday to visit relatives until Sunday.

Miss Ruby Potter returned home Wednesday evening after having been a guest of Miss Lois Stafford for a few days.

L. F. Myers has been seriously ill this week at his home on North Lafayette street.

John Zah has been ill this week at his home on South Spring street

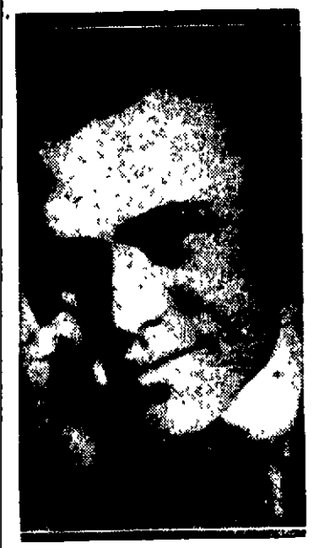
Will Capps has been sick this week at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. H. Stafford.

Many fine fish are being caught in Salt Creek near here.

The usual large crowd attended the band concert here Wednesday evening

Mr. and Mrs John Hershey and family are camping this week at the Scroggin-Nolle cabin on Salt Creek.

EXPECTS SOON TO LEAVE FOR FRANCE



TORREY T. McKENNY.

Torrey Thrift McKenny, son of Rev and Mrs. Samuel D. McKenny of Alton, has enlisted in the army and leaves this week for France The last year and one half he has been in Columbia university and at Pratt Institute in Brooklyn While in the later school, he studied wireless

Mrs McKenny is in Brooklin now and will remain there until he soon leaves for France

Mr McKenny is a nephew of Mr and Mrs C A. Thrift, 312 South Edward street and although he has never lived here, his parents are well known by many Decatur people

RUTH FRENCH DIES IN ALLENVILLE

Allenville, Aug. 3.—Miss Ruth French, sixteen years old, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J., French, south of here, Thursday. She was loved by all who knew her and will be much missed by the young people of this vicinity. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. French, three sister, Mrs. John Black, Mrs. Adlai Maxedon and Miss Roris French, and seven brothers, George and Orion French at home, Joseph French, of Arkansas, James French of Mattoons S. T. French of Crivits, Wis., Fred French of Sullivan and Frank French of Wisconsin. This was the first death in a family of eleven children.

Mrs. Scott Turner of Lake Fork, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Winchester.

The Aid society of the Christian church will give an ice cream social on the church lawn Saturday night.

Dr. O. M. Williamson of Sullivan, was here Wednesday.

Dean Ledbetter returned to Bruce Tuesday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Seth McCabe.

Miss Ines Winchester is seriously ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Winchester

A. J. Smith of Chicago, was here Tuesday.

Miss Geneva Jenkins returned to her home in Mattoon Monday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Martin

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Martin were Chicago visitors Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Norman Burwell have returned home from Lake Fork.

DELAND.

Miss Hazel Porter underwent an operation Tuesday at the Burnham hospital in Champaign for appendicitis.

Miss Tata Keller, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. H Bickel and C Trigg, Lola Bickel and Roland Adams attended the band concert at Farmer City Wednesday night

F E Reed, G. R. Frenchard, O. R Hursh, H. W. Gants and wives D. W Hursh, H W. Gants and Roland Bickel attended the funeral of Frank Wiesgarver at Harris Station Tuesday. Over 100 automobiles were in the procession

The R. N. A. held a picnic Thursday at the woods

Jacob McBride is critically ill at the Warner hospital in Clinton. He is 88 years of age

Relatives here have received word of the death of Mrs Amy Wright Gilbert, of Oklahoma. Her death was caused by appendicitis She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs Ben Wright and was born in Deland

Mrs Carl Mothershaw and son of Dallas, Texas, are guests of J. F Mothershaw.

Rev and Mrs H. Buck Mrs C Simmons and Helen visited in Clinton Wednesday.

Herbert Hayes is critically ill.

Mrs. M. Morrow of Decatur, has been a guest of friends here

Lemons Whiten the Skin Beautifully! Make Cheap Lotion



The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier.

Just try it! Make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands It should naturally help to whiten, soften, freshen, and bring out the hidden roses and beauty of any skin It is wonderful for rough, red hands.

Your druggist will sell three ounces of orchard white at little cost, and any grocer will supply the lemons

ANNOYING SYMPTOMS

How Heat Flashes, Dizzy Spells and other Bad Feelings at Change of Life may be Relieved.



Richmond, Va.—"After taking seven bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel like a new woman. I always had a headache during the Change of Life and was also troubled with other bad feelings common at that time—dizzy spells, nervous feelings and heat flashes. Now I am in better health than I ever was and recommend your remedies to all my friends."—Mrs. LENA WYNN, 2312 E. O Street, Richmond, Va.

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Such warning symptoms are a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness.



Don't wear a veil to cover up skin trouble

Resinol

makes sick skins well

Is your appearance marred by unsightly patches of eruption? There is no need of enduring such discomfort because, unless it is due to some serious internal condition, Resinol Ointment is almost sure to clear the trouble away—promptly, easily, and at little expense.



Resinol Soap should usually be used with Resinol Ointment to prepare the skin to receive the Resinol medication. Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment are sold by all druggists. For free sample of each, write to Resinol, Baltimore, Md.

Indiana Cantalope 10c and 15c

Watermelons 40c to 60c

Fancy Elberta Peaches, per basket 25c

Fancy Home Grown Tomatoes, per basket 25c

ALL KINDS OF CHEESE.

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146 Merchant Street

Specials For Saturday

Home Dressed Chickens, per lb. ..23c Country Sauer Kraut, per qt. 10c

Choice Beef Roast	13½c	Choice Pork Loin Roast	22c	2 cans Pork and Beans	25c
Choice Beef Rib Roast	14c	Choice Boneless Pork Butts	23½c	One Can Sweet Potatoes	16c
Choice Beef Steak	15c	Small Loin Pork Chops	23c	One Can Corn	16c
Choice Sirloin Steak	17c	Fresh Spare Ribs	12½c	Three Cans Peas	25c
Choice Porterhouse Steak	17c	Fresh Pork Sausage	18c	One Large Can Tomatoes	20c
Tender Round Steak	20c	Fresh Short Spare Ribs	6½c	One Small Can Tomatoes	15c
Fresh Hamberger Steak	15c	Fresh Hog Liver	9c	Three Cans Cane Syrup	25c
Fresh Beef Heart	16c	Sugar Cured Bacon	32c	Three Cans Hominy	25c
Fresh Beef Tongues	20c	Sugar Cured Regular Hams	24½c	Two cans Salmon	35c
Choice Veal Roast	16c	Sugar Cured Picnic Hams	20c	One Can Milk	13c
Choice Veal Chops	17c	Sugar Cured Bacon		Two Cans Kidney Beans	25c
Choice Veal Stew	14c	Choice Salt Pork	23c	Three Packages Corn Flakes	25c
Choice Lamb Legs	20c	Pure Lard	23c	Two Cans Peaches	35c
Choice Lamb Chops	20c	Compound Lard	19½c	Two Cans Pineapple	35c
Choice Lamb Roast	18c	2 pounds Butterine	46c	One Can Plums	15c
Choice Lamb Stew	16c	2 lbs. high grade Butterine	52c	Two Cans Oysters	25c

TRUCKS LEAVE:—East of Water Street— 8 and 4 o'clock.
West of Water Street—10 and 2 o'clock.

COME TODAY TO

The Big D. & R. Clearance Sale Of All Summer Footwear

A sale that brings the mightiest bargains ever offered in strictly high grade and dependable summer footwear. BUY YOUR SHOES NOW, WHILE YOU CAN SAVE BIG MONEY ON THEM.

All Ladies' Low Cuts Priced for Quick Clearance

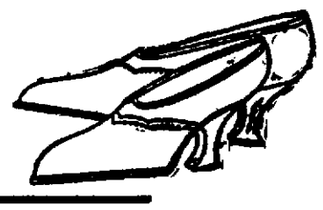
Ladies' Newest Pumps and Straps; Patents and Kids; all $4.00 and $4.50 values—



$2.95

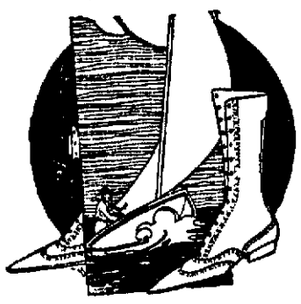
Ladies' Newest Pumps and Straps; large selection; all $3.50 values at—

$2.45



Ladies' Pumps and Straps in a large variety of styles and kinds; $3.50 and $3.00 values $1.98

Ladies' Pumps and Two-Straps; in dulls and patents; extra special value at $1.69



Big Clearance of White Canvas Boots.

Many excellent values at

$2.95, $2.45 and $1.98

Ladies' White Canvas Boots, high and low heels; $3.50 and $3.00 values. for clearance, at $1.98

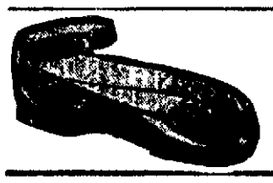
Big Clearance White Low Cuts

Ladies' White Canvas 2-Straps in all sizes; extra special, at 98c





Ladies' White Sport Oxfords, with rubber soles; $2.00 value 98c



Clearance of All Children's Slippers

Tremendous variety of Children's Stylish Slippers, in white or in black; all styles and sizes; wonderful values at 98c



Ladies' House Slippers, special 98c

THE BIG D. & R. 3-FLOOR SHOE HOUSE

Ladies' black velvet 2-straps, high or low heels .. 98c

129 NORTH WATER

H.S. GEBHART CO.

—Closing out 100 Doz. Decatur-Maid Children's Dresses to $2 at 75c and $1

H.S. GEBHART CO.

SPECIAL SALE ON UNDERWEAR

—You can buy high grade underwear from us Saturday at about the same prices we will pay for the same garments during the next two seasons. By purchasing now—for present and future needs—you pocket a real saving of from 25 to 50 per cent.



MEN'S 59c UNION SUITS 2 SUITS $1

—Ribbed Union Suits. —Athletic Union Suits.

The ribbed suits come in ankle length styles with long or short sleeves and in knee length styles with short sleeves. The athletic suits are made of fine soft nainsook. Our regular 59c union suits, but worth 69c. On sale Saturday. TWO SUITS $1.00

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS, 50c

—A very special quality in women's union suits; very special value for the money. Choose from both tight and loose knee styles—light-weight but firm, close knit garments. Special, a suit 50c

3 Union Suits $1

—A big stock of women's first quality knit union suits; lace knee styles —V or round necks. They are priced away under the market at 3 suits $1

Children's Union Suits

—Plain knit and button waist suits for girls, and thin, cool poros knit suits for boys. Worth 35c on present market. Our special price 29c

3 PAIRS FIBRE SILK HOSE $1

—These come in black, white and colors.

—You'll probably want half a dozen pairs when you see them. Made with a fibre silk boot; in black, white, light blue, brown, lavender, pink, grey, sand and champagne. All sizes, three pairs $1



Fibre Silk Hose 25c

—A very good grade of women's fiber silk boot stockings, in black and white only; worth a third more, but priced special Saturday, a pair 25c

Radmoor Hose $1.10

—The finest pure silk hose manufactured. Priced a fourth less than market value. We have all colors and white. (No black). Special, a pair $1.10

Children's 25c Black & White Hose 15c

—Extra fine gauge, first quality children's black and white stockings, with double heels and toes. They'll retail at 25c a pair this fall. Saturday buy sizes 5½ to 10 for 15c, and sizes UNDER 8, a pair 15c



TOMORROW

Up to $8.50 WHITE DRESSES

$3.95

—Come Saturday and buy a lovely white voile dress for about what you would pay for the materials.

—Choose from four bewitching new styles; all are this season's creations.

—Lace trimmed effects, embroidery trimmed dresses and some profusely trimmed with both lace and embroidery. Regular $5.95 to $8.50 white dresses, Saturday, $3.95.

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TEACHERS TO MEET IN SHELBYVILLE

Annual Institute in Session Next Week.

Shelbyville Aug. 3.—County Superintendent of Schools Lee W. Fraser has everything in readiness for the annual institute which he will hold in this city next week. The daily sessions will be held at the high school building. All the teachers of this county are expected to attend.

The instructors and the subjects they will teach are as follows:

Prof John M. Forsythe Chicago—School Music.

Prof. William Harris Shelbyville—Elementary Science of State Course of Study; Pedogogy.

Prof. Arthur McMurray Kansas State university—Daily Lectures on Reading.

Prof. O. C. Bailey Effingham—Agriculture and Reading.

Prof. U. G. Fletcher—Physical Training; forty-minute session daily.

Prof. Forsythe Prof. Harris and Prof. Bailey have been instructors in the Shelby county institute here the last year or two. Prof. Bailey is the newly elected superintendent of the Shelbyville public schools taking the vacancy caused by the resignation of Prof. A. F. Lyle.

TO SELL LAMB FOR RED CROSS.

The Shelbyville chapter of the Red Cross will take advantage of the opportunity afforded by "Taft Day" at the Shelbyville chautauqua Friday to dispose of the black lamb recently donated the chapter by Alva Harless the proceeds to be added to the Red Cross fund

At the conclusion of Mr. Taft's address the lamb will be sold at auction with Del Bennett acting as auctioneer unless the ex-president himself will consent to serve in that capacity. Owing to the time, the place and the cause, it is expected that the bidding will be lively and generous.

L. C. Westervelt was named public administrator by Governor Lowden on Thursday, the appointment to become effective Dec. 3, 1917. Mr. Westervelt will succeed W. F. Alchele

MRS BLACKSTONE DEAD.

Mrs Elizabeth Blackstone, seventy-six years old, died Thursday at the home of her son, W. H. Hager, on North Chestnut street. She had been ill for a year. She was afflicted with cancer.

Mrs. Blackstone was born three miles north of the city on April 4, 1841.

Mrs. Blackstone was the mother of three children, born of her first marriage.

W. H. Hager is the only survivor.

Mrs. Blackstone was a member of the Methodist church. The funeral was held from the Hager residence at 10:30 a. m. Friday, conducted by the Rev. J. L. B. Ellis. Burial was in Glenwood cemetery.

FUNERAL OF STONE CHILD.

Donald Richard Stone, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter R Stone, died Wednesday night at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stone, on North Morgan street. He had been ill since the Fourth of July with malarial fever. He is survived by his parents and two sisters the latter being Hazel Ellen and Margery.

The funeral was held from the Richard Stone residence at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, with burial in Glenwood cemetery.

Dr. S. Alletta Herrold left Thursday on her annual vacation, which she will spend with her sister in New York city and brother in Detroit. She will return home Aug. 23. Dr. Herrold's sister, Miss Mary E Herrold, is a Red Cross nurse, and her number was drawn quite early in the list, so that a trip to France for duty there is a probability of the early future.

Dr T Ewing Cherry of Cowden has received his commission as a member of the hospital corps of the U. S. army and is expecting an early call to report for duty.

BARN HIT BY BOLT; BURNS

During the electtical and rain storm that swept over the southern part of the county Wednesday afternoon a barn on one of Supervisor S S Lorton's farms, two miles south of Cowden, was struck by lightning and burned. Fortunately there was nothing in the barn at the time.

Frank D Crook, sheriff of Shelby county from 1910 to 1914, and for several years since the expiration of his term holding an appointment as deputy United States marshal of the eastern district, Illinois, with headquarters at Danville, has resigned for the purpose of giving his sole attention to certain land interests at Texarkana, Tex. Associates of Mr Crook in his federal position were sorry because of his resignation, as he made a good officer and is a genial fellow.

Jasper Mothers Meet.

The members of the Mothers' club of the Jasper street school will meet next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock to arrange for a social which is to be held soon

RAILROADS TO BUILD WYE AT TUSCOLA

Tuscola, Aug. 3.—A deal has been completed here this week, by which the Illinois Central and the C. & E. I. railroads have purchased from S B. Ervin, land in the angle formed by the crossing of those two roads to build a connection in Tuscola and as a result any car load business interchanged between them at this point had to be switched by the C. I. & W. Any car load business originating at or destined for Tuscola, arriving over one of these roads for trackage on the other, has been handled in the same manner, causing not only extra costs to shippers but frequently has been the means of causing aggravating delays.

The amount of land purchased from the corner of Mr. Ervin's farm land is about two and one half acres, but the price per acre has not been made public. It is generally supposed a good price was paid as Mr. Ervin would probably not have let the land go otherwise.

The building of the switch will necessitate the constuction of another bridge over the big dredge ditch as the ditch parallels the tracks of the Illinois Central right of way for a considerable distance south from the crossing of the two roads.

MATTOON MAN BUYS ELEVATOR.

The old R. & J. Ervin elevator, located on the Illinois Central railroad which was sold under receivership proceedings Monday, was resold Wednesday. The former sale was occasioned as a means of settling up the partnership business of the two brothers, following the death of John Ervin, when his interest in the business was willed to Curt Thornton of this city. At the receivership sale, the property was bought in by Rice Ervin, the surviving partner in the business, but after the sale, circumstances arose which made it necessary that Mr. Ervins bid be withdrawn

The next highest bider being Mr. Ernest Orendolf, of Mattoon the property was declared by the receiver as sold to him, and Mr. Orendolf was so notified. The new purchaser is a practical elevator man, who is now operating a string of elevators on the St. Louis division of the Big Four, including one at Mattoon. It is understood that his bid was made with the provision that it would be withdrawn if the city authorities would not allow the purchaser to build a new plant on the site of the old elevator, which has been operated for many years and is entirely out of date as a grain handling plant

It is understood that the Illinois Central Railroad on whose land the elevator is located, have also demanded that the purchaser rebuild it, as it has produced very little business for the company for some time. The city council will no doubt grant the building permit for a new elevator.

ANKLE BRUISED.

Eugene Abrams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Abrams has his ankle painfully injured on Thursday in a rather peculiar manner. While riding a bicycle near his home on East Sale street, his foot slipped from the pedal and was caught between the pedal and rear wheel to a stop. The ankle was bruised and skinned, but the hysician who was called decided there were no broken bones. His older brother, Cecil, had one foot somewhat mashed earlier in the day while handling a large cake of ice.

The Christian Endeavor society of the North Side Christian church will give an ice cream socisy on the church lawn Friday evening. A short program will be given.

Dr. Frank Sluss of Casey arrived here Thursday to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Laura Wood, whose death occurred here Wednesday.

Manford Roller of Newman was in Tuscola, Thursday.

Mrs. Jessie Cummins spent Thursday in Camargo.

Mrs. Frank Pundt and Mrs. William Thompson went to Shelbyville Thursday to visit relatives and attend the chautauqua.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Montgomery of Lawrenceville and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Connelly and daughter Retta of Hume, motored here Thursday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Turner.

Ora Warren was in Newman Thursday.

Elbert Collins with his wife and son brought his mother Mrs. Jennie Collins of Garret, to Tuscola Thursday to visit Mrs. Thomas Abrams, a daughter of Mrs. Collins.

Isaac Fulton of Decatur was here Thursday.

FINDLAY.

Miss Letha Pogue has returned from the east, where she has been for the past year.

Rev. C. W. Gant and family are camping at the Shelbyville chautauqua.

Miss Ruth Pogue returned Tuesday from a visit in the home of her uncle, V. Elmore and family in Tuscola.

Homer Hott and wife motored to Decatur Wednesday.

Mrs. Jacobs of Moweaqua, visited her son, Arthur and family here Wednesday.

Dr. Homer Marxmiller and wife and Mr. Wilson and wife motored to Shelbyville Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Bruce's sister and family from Neoga, were here this week.

Guy Enoch and family motored to Decatur Sunday.

Miss Melba Saylor went to New Augusta, Ind., Saturday to visit her grand father, O. P. Hollingsworth.

Rev. H. O. Wilson has resigned his pastorate of the Christian church here to take effect Sept. 15. He has accepted the pastorate of the Christian church at St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Kelun spent Tuesday in Hement.

Arthur Melcher is in Chicago.

Mrs. E. K. Schwartz started for Washington Tuesday to visit her daughter, Stella.

Mrs. Russel James and children are camping at the Shelbyville chautauqua.

Mrs. B. Miser and family are visiting Mrs. Yetha Stockeley in Mendota.

Miss Carolee Schwertz returned from a visit in Valparaiso, Ind., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crouch went to Decatur Thursday to visit their son, Earl.

S. D. Dale was in Mattoon Monday.

M. S. Combs and son Ed motored to Macon Sunday.

Harold Saylor spent Sunday in Herrick.

Mrs. Ed Helm returned Monday from a ten days' visit in Flora.

Miss Idah Ballou has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Adea Lanchmer in Springfield.

Miss Fannie Woodruff of Bloomington, has been visiting Miss Jennie Dunaway the past week.

OREANA.

Nine young men of this community have enlisted in the regular army. They are William Oldweiler, Lowell Kelsey, Cecil Evey, Roy Babcock, Curtis Funkhouser, Harvey Funkhouser, George trate, Floss Fryor and Leonard Johnson. Only one of these, Leonard Johnson has joined the navy. He left today for Peoria and from there will go to the Great Lakes training station.

Work on the new school building here is progressing rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Gillespie, Mrs. F. Gillespie and daughter May, Verne and Jessie Gillespie of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Barnes were guests of Irwin McConnell and family Sunday.

W. C. Turpin and Mrs. Clara Gould of Decatur, were guests of their mother, Mrs. E. Turpin Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Turpin returned to her home in Claremont, Ind., Sunday, after several weeks' visit with relatives here. She was accompanied as far as Decatur by her niece, Miss Ida Turpin.

Miss Martha Oldweiler of the Decatur and Macon County hospital, is spending her vacation here.

J. Stellwagen and wife of Decatur, were visitors here Sunday evening.

Curtis and Harvey Funkhouser spent Sunday in Indianapolis.

Miss Lois Blazer of Forsyth, visited over Sunday with Miss Cleta McKinley.

Mrs. John Smith and two children are visiting relatives in Vandalia.

Miss Della Merriam of Clinton, visited over Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. D. F. Holman and daughter, Miss Bessie, were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

Miss Adeline Friend of Chandlerville, is the guest of Miss Geraldine Ishmael.

Baker-Davis Reunion Success.

With fifty members of the Baker-Davis families present for the annual reunion at Fairview park Thursday, the gathering was thoroughly enjoyed. Those who attended had an enjoyable time visiting and renewing old acquaintances and associations. Dinner was served in the park pavilion about noon, following which there was an informal business meeting. The remainder of the afternoon was also spent socially.

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Less than 5-lb. bag, per lb. 25c
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Tea, Gunpowder, per pound 76c, 65c, 60c, 55c
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The above prices on Tea represent a saving to the purchaser of from 10c to 25c per pound.

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Jar Rubbers, heaviest, wide, per gross 95c
Three dozen for 25c
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Four dozen for 30c

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SUMMER UNDERW'R

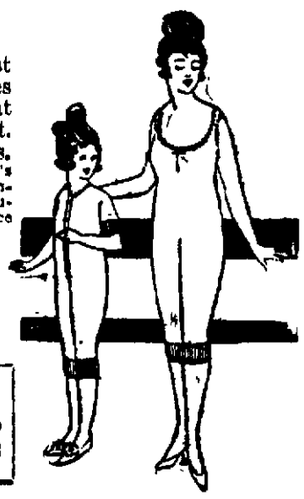
ACTUALLY ALMOST GIVEN AWAY

FURTHER REDUCTIONS TO FORCE QUICK CLEARANCE

75c Values, 35c

—Summer underwear must be quickly cleared. Prices are quoted Saturday that would not cover the mill cost. Upwards of 25 dozen pieces. Women's union suits, children's union suits, boys' union suits, women's drawers, etc. Underwear actually made to retail up to 75c; choice Saturday, garment

35c



$1 Values, 50c

—Saturday we regroup for quick clearance 50 dozen pieces of summer underwear —samples and regular stocks —including men's ribbed union suits, women's union suits, boys' union suits, children's union suits, men's shirts and women's vests and pants. Regular 35c to $1 garments, all at garment

50c

10c Vests, 8 1-3c.

—Women's nice, thin gauze vests; regular 10c values **8⅓c**

Men's Union Suits.

—Men's $1.25 ribbed, pores and B. V. D. union suits **$1**

Women's 69c Silk Hosiery 49c Pair



—Saturday we place on special sale for quick clearance in one day 35 dozen pairs of women's fibre silk boot hose at an unheard of price. These come in white and black only and in all sizes. Regular value 69c pair, Stewart's price Saturday only, pr. **49c**

35c Hosiery for 25c.

—An extra fine grade of women's soft, silky, lisle thread hose, in black and white. Regular 29c and 35c values; Saturday, pair **25c**

$1.25 Silk Hose, 89c.

—25 dozen NOTASEME pure thread silk boot hose; all silk, extra fine weave. Black and white only. $1.25 grade; Saturday, pair **89c**

Great Sale——Men's Shirts



$1.25 and $1.50 E. & W. Shirts, 89c

—Always, during the last week in July, we hold a shirt sale during which hundreds of men and women who buy for men, buy enough shirts to last the entire year round. This time we have nearly 60 dozen of the famous E.&W. shirts—the newest 1917 patterns—with laundered or soft French cuffs the standard $1.25 & $1.50 E.&W. shirts in all sizes **89c**

Big Sale Suit Cases and Bags

If You're Going on a Vacation You'll Need One of These

—MATTING SUIT CASES, in 14 and 16-inch sizes; well made; $1 value; on sale Saturday **79c**



—TRAVELING BAGS, of Walrus grain Keratol; looks like genuine leather; $3.50 values **$2.48**

—MATTING SUIT CASES, brass locks, metal corners; non-breakable handles; $2 values; Saturday **$1.50**

—TRAVELING BAGS, of genuine cowhide leather; brass locks, sewed corners; $5.00 values for **$3.50**

BIG BASEMENT BARGAINS



$5 Garden Hose, $3.98.

—Full 50-foot length of high grade, 5-ply garden hose; a genuine $5 value; Saturday for **$3.98**

$4 Garden Hose, $2.98.

—25-foot length of 5-ply garden hose; regular $4 value; Saturday for **$2.98**

6 BARS OF BEST LAUNDRY SOAPS **25c**

—Saturday you can buy SWIFT'S WHITE LAUNDRY SOAP and genuine LENOX SOAP, 6 bars for **25c**



Water Glasses.

—Regular 5c water glasses; Saturday SIX for **20c**

—Regular 10c iced tea glasses, special Saturday, SIX for **50c**



Wash Tubs.

—No. 0 size galvanized wash tubs, Saturday for **49c**

—No. 1 size galvanized wash tubs, Saturday for **79c**

Wash Boilers.

—Large size galvanized wash boilers, with wood handles; $2.25 values; Saturday for **$1.75**



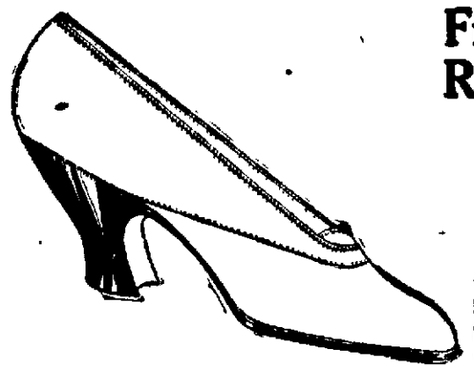
MASON JARS

—Pint Mason jars, a dozen **58c**

—Quart Mason jars, a dozen **62c**

—½ gal. Mason jars, a dozen **75c**

Clearing Out Low Shoes



Friday and Saturday Will Likely Be The Record Days of This August Clearance

—Sales records will probably show the largest volume of business we have ever done in two sale days. Because so many people realize that a satisfactory fit, in a particular style, is much more certain than than it will be later when size runs have become further broken.

—The response to this clearance demonstrates the fact that Decatur men and women appreciate the accuracy of our announcement regarding Folrath sales; also that they appreciate the fact that such an opportunity to buy sterling quality footwear at less prices is not one to be overlooked these days.

—You are pretty sure to find just the style you want, in your size, today or tomorrow.

Special Lot:

Men's Oxfords $2.45

—TWO FORTY-FIVE DOES A DOUBLE DUTY IN THIS LOT. BROKEN ASSORTMENTS AND DISCONTINUED STYLES IN MEN'S HIGH-GRADE BLACK AND TAN OXFORDS, ALL GROUPED IN ONE MISCELLANEOUS LOT AND REDUCED TO CHOICE $2.45

Special Lot:

Women's Pumps $1.95

—BROKEN LOTS AND DROPPED STYLES IN WOMEN'S PUMPS, OXFORDS AND LOW-CUT SHOES OF ALL KINDS; ALL LEATHERS, ALL STYLES; YOUR SIZE IS HERE IN ONE KIND OR ANOTHER. ALL REDUCED TO CHOICE $1.95

Special Lots:

For Boys, Children and Misses

95c and $1.45

—TWO SEPARATE LOTS, EACH CONTAINING WONDERFUL BARGAINS FOR BOYS, MISSES AND CHILDREN; LOW FOOTWEAR IN BADLY BROKEN SIZE RUNS AND DISCONTINUED STYLES. AT CHOICE ..... 95c AND $1.45

Women's Pumps All Sacrificed

—You may take choice of all patent leather and black kid pumps and strap styles, and all white kid and white canvas pumps at these reductions.

All $3.00 values, at **$2.25**
All $3.50 values, at **2.65**
All $4.00 values, at **2.95**
All $4.50 values, at **3.45**
All $5.00 values, at **3.75**
All $6.00 values, at **4.50**
All $6.50 values, at **4.85**
All $7.50 values, at **5.65**

Sale Prices on All Children's Low Shoes

—All low shoes for misses and children; the ankle ties, sandal effects and various slippers; both leather and canvas.

—All $1.50 values, reduced to **$1.10**
—All $2.00 values, reduced to **$1.45**
—All $2.50 values, reduced to **$1.95**
—All $3.00 values, reduced to **$2.25**
—All $3.50 values, reduced to **$2.65**

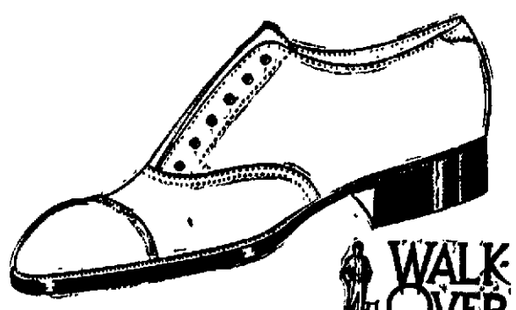
Clearing Walk-Over and Edwin Clapp Oxfords

—The finest low shoes for men in America; worth more than their original prices. Wise buyers will take at least two pairs. Black and tan calf and black kid leathers.

All $4.00 oxfords, **$2.95**
All $5.00 oxfords, **3.75**
All $6.00 oxfords, **5.25**
All $7.50 oxfords, **5.65**
All $9.00 oxfords, **5.75**

Save On Boys' Oxfords

—Our entire stock of boys' oxfords now on sale at reductions similar to those quoted on children's low shoes.



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We urge you to at least come and examine the Suits on which we have reduced the prices. Nothing short of seeing these Suits and trying them on will convince you of the Style, Fit and Satisfaction obtainable at such ridiculously low prices.

Here's Your Suit Opportunity, Sir!

$12.00 Suits, now $ 9.55	$20 Suits, now $15.95
$15.00 Suits, now $11.95	$22 Suits, now $17.55
$16.50 Suits, now $13.15	$25 Suits, now $19.85
$18.00 Suits, now $14.35	$28 Suits, now $22.35

Many of the Suits in this sale will be all right for Fall wear, both in color and weight. You will not make a mistake if you buy more than one Suit.

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SPORTS

BRITONS SEE A ROW WITH UMPIRE

Englanders Know Something About Baseball.

BRITISH PORT BASE OF AMERICAN NAVAL FORCES, Aug 3—British naval officers and sailors, interested spectators at the championship baseball series played here by crews of American destroyers between patrol duty on the shipping lanes, rapidly are learning the fine points of the great American game. They have even witnessed the customary row with the umpire.

9TH INNING RALLY.

The champions of the American forces have just suffered their first defeat of the season after winning eight straight games Incidentally, the champions' grip on a large silver cup bestowed at Guantanamo last season by the Navy Department, was loosened It was a ninth-inning rally that decided the contest

Two runs were needed by the opposing team when it faced the champions pitcher in the last half of the ninth They were secured by a long hit down the third base line, which the umpire called fair, but which the champions were certain was a foul The umpire stuck to his decision, despite a friendly quarrel, and the vanquished champions returned to their ship confidently believing they had been robbed.

PROGRESS OF THE PENNANT RACES

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct	Win	Lose
New York	51	30	.663	.607	.650
Philadelphia	48	40	.545	.531	.539
St. Louis	42	43	.536	.541	.511
Cincinnati	54	40	.525	.529	.519
Brooklyn	46	46	.500	.505	.495
Cubs	49	50	.495	.500	.491
Boston	30	53	.424	.430	.419
Pittsburgh	31	65	.323	.330	.320

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose
White Sox	63	37	.630	.634	.624
Boston	59	37	.615	.619	.608
Cleveland	54	48	.529	.534	.524
Detroit	52	47	.525	.530	.520
New York	50	46	.521	.526	.515
Washington	42	56	.429	.434	.424
Philadelphia	37	58	.776	.783	.772
St. Louis	37	65	.370	.376	.366

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.

Philadelphia 6 St Louis 0.
New York, 7, Pittsburgh, 3.
Brooklyn, 6, Cincinnati, 2
Chicago 5 Boston, 4 Second game Boston, 4, Chicago 3.

American League.

St Louis, 5, New York 0 Second game: New York, 3, St Louis, 1.
Chicago 1 Boston 1.
Philadelphia, 5, Cleveland, 4.
Washington 4, Detroit, 2.

American Association

Kansas City, 4, St. Paul 0.
Milwaukee, 7, Minneapolis, 2.
Louisville, 10, Toledo 2
Columbus, 8, Indianapolis, 2 (12 innings).

TODAY'S GAMES.

National League.

Philadelphia at Chicago, clear; 3 p m.
New York at Cincinnati, clear, 3 p m
Boston at Pittsburgh, clear, 3 30 p m
Brooklyn at St. Louis, clear; 3 30 p m.

American League.

Detroit at New York rain 3 30 p m
Chicago at Philadelphia rain, 3 30 p m
St Louis at Washington, cloudy, 3 30 p m
Cleveland at Boston cloudy; 3 15 p m.

American Association.

Toledo at Louisville, clear, 3 15 p m.
Columbus at Indianapolis, clear, 3 15 p. m.
Milwaukee at Kansas City, clear, 3 30 p m.

NEW RECORD AT THE OTTAWA RACES

Ottawa, Aug. 3.—A new record was established yesterday for half-mile tracks in this state when Lillian T., a bay mare, owned by E Beckwith of Aurora, went a mile in 2 05¼ in the free-for-all pace. There were only two other entries The former track record here was 2 06¼, held jointly by Sham Boy and Little Prince Two thousand four hundred fans watched favorites win all events.

MRS. F. C. LETTS IS CHICAGO CHAMPION

Mrs. F. C. Letts Wrests Title From Mrs. Melvin Jones—Results of Tourney.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Mrs. Fred C. Lette, Jr., woman's Western golf champion, wrested the championship of Chicago from Mrs. Melvin Jones of Glen Oak Country club, 3 up and 1. The Indian Hill player had to play the best golf of the tournament over the Midlothian course to win.

Mrs. Letts made men's par on all but three of the last nine holes.

Transfer Sioux City Club.

Sioux City, Ia., Aug 3.—A deal for the transfer of the Sioux City club in the Western Baseball League to either Tulsa, Okla., or St. Joseph, Mo., probably will be made tonight, according to E J Hanlon, president of the club.

BASKETBALL STAR DODGING U-BOATS



RAYMOND JUDY.

Raymond Judy of Decatur, former star center on the Y. M. C. A. basketball team, is now in the U. S. service and busily engaged in dodging submarines on the Atlantic. Judy, who was formerly a Wabash fireman, is U. S. inspector of supplies and is making trips back and forth to France on government vessels. At basketball, Judy was good at dodging, and Uncle Sam probably picked him out for his important duties because of that ability.

THRESHING ENDS BASEBALL GAMES

Owing to the fact that threshing is now at its height in the vicinity of Sadorus the ball team has cancelled games for two weeks, after which it is expected that they will play again.

PAIR OF BROWNS ENLIST IN NAVY

New York, Aug 3—William Jacobsen and Yale Sloan of the St Louis Browns enlisted in the navy here yesterday Because of the overcrowded conditions of the naval training stations they were told to continue their ball playing until ordered to report for duty They enlisted for four years

AUG. 8 BIG DAY AT MORRISONVILLE

Game With Grove City to be Feature.

Morrisonville, Aug. 3—The Morrisonville ball team will play Grove City at Morrisonville Wednesday, August 8 at 2 45 p. m

This will be the first game in Morrisonville this season and the game is expected to be one of the best played here, as Morrisonville will have Ray Friday, pitching, who just signed a contract with the St Louis Browns at a salary of $150 per month and Frank Fedor, catcher, who goes to Memphis in the Southern League next spring. Morrisonville will also have several other players of note, Kenneh, Hill, Murphy, Koval, Wilson, Ryan, Gauer, Smith and Patton

BIG DAY

Aug 8 is to be made a big day at Morrisonville Besides the big ball game in the afternoon there will be an open air band concert in the evening, followed by a big Moose dance at night.

"CONTINUE WITH BALL"—WILSON

President's Opinion Welcomed by Magnates.

Chicago, Aug 3—President Wilson's opinion, expressed through his secretary, J P. Tumulty, that there is "no necessity at all for stopping or curtailing baseball schedules, "was read with enthusiasm today by heads of major league teams in Chicago today.

'That's the best news I have received for a long time,' said Charles A Comiskey, owner of the American League club 'I think we baseball men are as patriotic as any other class of citizens We stand behind the President all the time If he should ask us to close our gates as a matter of patriotism, the gates would be closed without a murmur

"But I believe we can do our country a genuine service by keeping its youth interested in healthy, outdoor sports, and recreation during our period of stress'

WATERWORKS TEAM TO MONTICELLO

For Sunday Game—Other Contests Scheduled.

The Waterworks team will go to Monticello for the first out of town game which they have had for several weeks The Monticello team is stronger than usual this year, and it is thought that they will give the Decatur team a run for their money

Manager Young of the Waterworks team will put his strongest line-up in the field against the Monticello team After the rest which they have had it is not too much to expect them to take the game

MAROA AT HENRY.

The Maroa Independents are expected to win from the fast Henry team at Henry, Ill, Sunday, Manager Wollepp will use Ehrsman and Cramer as his opening battery

The Henry team has been playing excellent ball this year and are in true mid-season form. At all events the contest promises to be well worth watching.

PANA AT STALEY'S.

Decatur ball fans are looking forward to the Pana-Staley game at Staley's Sunday as being one of the hottest games in this section this week-end The Pana team has one of the fastest teams in central Illinois, and always plays good ball

Manager Fletcher has been working the Staley team hard in daily practices this week, so that they are all primed for the game. Only rain can prevent a record-breaking crowd from attending the game Sunday.

Franklyn Farnum in "The Clean Up" today and tomorrow at the Avon.

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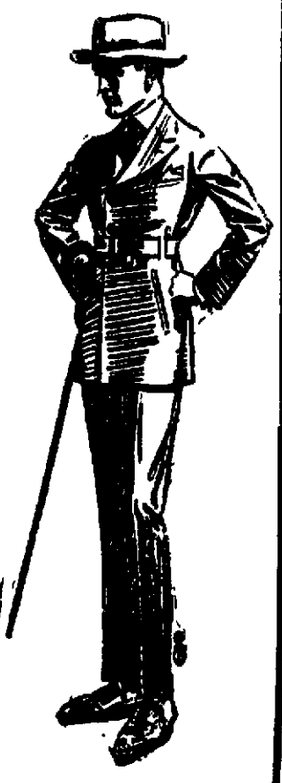
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Friday Evening, August 3, 1917.

WHAT AILS US?

There was a report Thursday that 44 per cent of the first fifty city people examined for military service failed to come up to the physical test. That is getting pretty close to half of those called up to that hour.

Some time since the statement came from several sources that three-fourths of those applying for a place in the regular army failed in the physical line.

The regular army story related to a time of peace, when they were more particular than at the present time.

The men called for examination in Decatur ranged in ages between twenty-one and thirty-one. They ought to be pretty good at that time of life. One assumes that the authorities are not too particular when it comes to getting men for the army at this time; they will take a man if there is a chance he will do.

The stories that come from many sources indicate that in this country a large proportion of the young men are not physically up to a reasonable standard. Of course if they are not up when young there is little chance they will improve with more years.

It was only a few years ago that a foreigner, an observer though, gave it as his opinion that America has the largest proportion of unfit men physically to be found in any country in the world. Some revelations we have had since that time lead to the uncomfortable suspicion that he may not have been entirely wrong.

We should have the best men in the world in this country; a larger proportion of our people should measure up to any reasonable physical standard.

Americans on the whole live better than any other people; that is, more of them are within reach of the plain comforts of life.

We have for many years made a great noise about athletics and physical training.

Our people are better nogrished with wholesome food than any others.

Now these items are important, and they should count for something when it comes to getting results.

But they are not counting, at least not as much as they should. You can take people in crowded districts in Europe, where wages are low and where they have never had enough to eat, and you find the young men from those places show up well physically. Whether they are large or small of stature they are pretty sure to be strong. We don't know how they manage it, but they do the turn somehow. And they are people of endurance when put to it. We should try to discover their secret. It must be worth while, and we can make use of it.

OUR ENGINEERS.

One wonders where we find all the civil and mechanical engineers employed in this country. A short while since there was a statement from the University of Illinois which gave us figures on students and graduates in that line, the data going back for a period of twenty-one years.

The total number of graduates in all the engineering schools in America from 1895 to 1917 is only 35,777.

In chemical engineering in all that time we had but 1,327 graduates in all our schools, say fifty a year. And this branch of engineering has come to be recognized as among the most important, has been so recognized for more than ten years.

America is doing a great lot of work in the various engineering lines; we feel that in all this we are at least up with the best in the rest of the world.

When one looks further into the tables of figures furnished by the University of Illinois the conclusion is reached that while we have enough students in the schools not enough of them stick till graduation time. Either they find the course dull, or possibly it is made too difficult, or they may be able to go out into the world and make good money before graduating.

For instance, in 1916 there was a total of 33,108 students in the engineering schools of this country; graduates that year were only 4,306. The figures show we are doing better, and yet many less than half who enter these schools stay to graduate.

Men in charge of the schools are not at all inclined to underestimate the importance of thorough training in engineering. And yet they somehow fail to hold a fair number of the students who enter.

It is a strange situation, especially in an industrial age such as this is. But America is using a great many engineers, and some of these must be among the best in the world. Engineering work is accomplished here in a way to excite the world's wonder. It must be that we get many capable engineers from other countries.

CUT OUT THE FRILLS.

The Railroads' War Board is out with a request that roads of the country be relieved from all unnecessary work during the period of the war.

It is pointed out that the railroads will have all their energies and resources occupied during this period in doing necessary work. All of us understand this necessary work at such a time is tremendous in amount and of course it is urgent.

It is mentioned that railroads are called on to make a lot of reports that the country surely can do without in a time of crisis. A year ago a road was called on to make an extension of a mile to reach an important industrial plant, one that is at least partly engaged in making war material. Building the extension was something quickly done; that is, the actual work. But reports that had to be made to the state kept several high class engineers busy for nearly a year. The reporting end of the job was more expensive than building the improvement.

In this way the labor of men is wasted. And there are two sets of these men, those who get up the reports and those who receive and go over them and approve.

Of course if we are sensible we shall cut out a lot of this work in time of war. The men wasting their time in this line can be employed to advantage elsewhere. And there will be plenty necessary work for all of them.

FRENCH BREAD RATION.

French people are to live by the bread card system, we are told. A man will be allowed 500 grams of bread a day; if he can make a special showing he can get 700. Children will have 300 grams.

All that information we get in the news from France. One difficulty is that it is not information until somebody is to the pains and trouble to make translations.

How much is 500 grams of bread? You look up the research books and learn it is 7,715 grains. Then you take another whirl over to the other side of the library and discover that a pound avoirdupois, something we can understand, is 7,000 grains.

So that 500 grams of bread is a pound and a tenth, a trifle less than eighteen ounces. It is an abundance on which to live and sustain strength, provided there is plenty of other good foods on the table.

But if a man is to live and work by bread alone he will not break many records or get far on eighteen ounces a day. We assume the Frenchman has something else to fall back on.

We have good livers in America who eat less than half a pound of bread a day, but they go strong on other foods. Let us hope the Frenchman also has other resources. We can be sure of one thing if there is anything around that can be made to serve as food he will dish it up in style. He is a good many kinds of a genius.

COAL COST AND PRICE.

The Illinois State Council of Defense has something to say about the price charged for coal in this state.

From operators we have had the statement that increased price of coal is due to increase in the cost of mining. On this point the state council observes:

"That the only increase in the coal miners' wage scale since July 1, 1916, to date, has not exceeded 20 cents a ton, which increase can not account for the jump in price of coal at the mine between July, 1916, and 1917."

One is not in position to say just how much this "jump" in price is. The state council says that in places it is as much as $2.15 a ton. Of course, we know that at other mines it has been much less than that.

If anybody is trying to collect an advance of $2.15 a ton on the strength of 20 cents advance in the cost of mining it will be all right for Governor Lowden to call the legislature in extraordinary session, and while he is calling he would as well have out the militia.

One judges from the amount of proclaiming done by the Kaiser these days that something is troubling his innards.

If Norway will furnish the ships to do the conveying the chances are it can get something to eat from Americans.

Whatever smashing there is is put on by the Allies. That wasn't the tale three years ago. It isn't the Prussian who is making progress.

The Red Cross would like to hear from more men who have a dollar to spare for a good cause.

The lion ailment is abating; as the days get cooler it will pass away and be forgotten.

Be cautious in dealing with a pacifist these times; if you don't agree with him he may want to beat you up.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY IN DECATUR

AUGUST 3, 1907.

E. A. Gastman, for years superintendent of the Decatur public schools, died suddenly in a Boston hotel while on a visit back east.

Everyone was interested in press dispatches which announced Judge K. M. Landis had fined the Standard Oil company $29,240,000.

Walter Dennis, a twenty year old Decatur boy, was planning to leave for Guana Gusta, Mexico, to take a position as a gold mining engineer.

W. F. Coulter, after operating the famous Coulter's mill northeast of Decatur for thirty-three years, moved to Guymon, Okla.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

James Garland was appointed grain inspector by Governor Tanner.

After several night sessions with visiting miners, the Decatur miners refused to go on strike.

Bicyclists were thrown into a fever of excitement by an ordinance to prohibit riding on sidewalks.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mont Peniwell.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stowsand.

FROM THE PEOPLE

The Lion.

If you want to see the lion,
With his long brown shaggy hair,
If you want to hear this tawny monster
Roaring in his lair,
If you want to see that feline
Lunging full eight feet in air,
You will need to get some—
Well I don't know what, up in your hair.

For lions can't be seen
By every one along the road,
The men who carry Winchesters
Get no chance to unload.
There's only certain cavaliers
Can scent this noble prey,
And they are sure to 'hustle up
And make their get aways.

For this lion is a wonder
Such as seldom has been seen,
He seems to live on field mice,
On locusts, bugs or beans.
He stayed with Bobby Allerton
For more than one whole week,
And didn't hurt a single pig
Or scare a single sheep.

And now near OLD DECATUR
His kingly form they've seen
But what he is now living on
There is no one can dream
They say that he has tasted calf,
But that was rather lean,
So I guess he's turned herbivorous
And is browsing on the green.

Respectfully,
DR. E. L. REEVES.
1216 East Eldorado.

This Day in Illinois History

Aug. 3, 1818.—The first constitutional convention met at Kaskaskia. It consisted of thirty-three delegates from fifteen counties, and framed a constitution in twenty-four days.

TEAMSTERS PLACED UNDER ARREST

Owens and Groves Charged with Not Weighing Ice.

Walter Owens and Oscar Groves, teamsters for the Polar Ice company, were arrested by Officer Clark Thursday on complaint of Arthur Doran, who charged them with refusing to weigh ice. Owens said that the scales on the wagon were broken.

Entertains At Tea.

Miss Martha Best, 1580 North Clinton street, entertained a few friends at her home Thursday afternoon at an informal tea.

RESULTS OF THE PHYSICAL TESTS

Results of physical examinations made by local board of city of Decatur, are as follows. The re-examination was made by Dr. M. W. Fitzpatrick.

This list contains names of the first young men disqualified by the physicians. This does not mean necessarily that they are entirely disqualified as the exemption board must first act on them. The exemption board may reverse some of the decisions of the physicians. The list follows.

DISQUALIFIED.

Ser. No. Name.
1783—John F. Burkmyer.
1014—Bernard C. Patterson.
43—Thomas A. Quinn.
1548—Colonel J. Wysong.
606—Paul E. Olive.
2967—Essa K. Fletcher.
1986—Wm. P. Calfas.
1676—Vernon R. Hall.
486—Carl L. Raupp.
1266—Walter D. Rouch.
3183—Lyman Davis.
755—Clark M. Uhler.
509—Perley H. Wire.
3257—Ralph S. Graham.
783—John Howard Powers.
1878—Oscar C. Knotts.
2936—Warren R. Wiley.
548—Guy C. Ferre.
2166—Wm. H. Baugher.
596—Charles P. Cox.
1913—Fred Kropla.
945—Chas. Henry Schwarts.
1183—Lewis A. Kiser.
2195—Clyde M. Johnson.
1748—Harry S. Davis.
337—Edgar S. Tingley.
2762—Thos. B. Turner.
1117—Frank L. Lake.
2787—James O. Tankersley.
3200—Howard Nottingham.
2889—Robert H. Seeley.
837—Clyde H. Tearnan.
3070—Francis L. Weygandt.
3067—Carl H. Barker.
3256—John W. Cryer.
1546—Bert O. Crane.
2783—Howard G. Lanier.
2945—Jesse R. Griffith.
1779—John H. Deister.
1922—Emidio Marcitti.
140—Walter E. Behrns.
927—Robert Z. Sanders.
801—Louis Riley.
2808—Fred G. Schrock.
2952—Charles S. Stough.
1536—Clarence N. Beall.
1328—Lewis H. Moore.
3090—Everett L. Dickey.
2374—Paul J. Lucas.

QUALIFIED.

858—Clarence E. Hawkins.
1539—Arthur B. Rudisell.
3254—Walter J. Jones.
3217—Robert Robison.
3339—Richard Dial.
1066—Samuel Morthland, Jr.
536—Herbert E. Hessler.
2181—Fred W. Thara.
2455—Chet T. Hoss.
275—Harry L. Diller.
1267—Bonnie P. Littleton.
1572—Charles J. Lofgren
2148—William H. Scribner.
3331—Frank M. Cook.
2194—Sidney C. High.
1436—Hen Guyton.
3082—Silas B. Monroe.
2453—Earl A. Bell.
2099—Albert Schwalbe.
2022—Otto C. F. Pannek.
1858—Henry A. Brown.
2036—Henry H. Behrend.
258—Ralph J. McClure.
1752—George Hess.
2629—Robert M. Ewing.
1495—James H. England.
458—William E. Knodle.
784—George C. Roberts.
1679—Ollie McAnally.
126—Ray L. Holbrook.
2624—Thomas B. Scanlon.
854—Manuel Newberger.
2522—George W. Wallace.
1894—Albert A. Peckert.
1369—Gordon W. Sharp.
1891—Willard G. Brown.
2691—Ira H. Waller.
682—Gershant J. Skinner.
1682—John W. Davis.
507—Amiel A. Weber.
2519—Harold A. Holland.
2881—Alva G. Randall.
715—Guy W. Ashe.
373—Ernest M. Carver.
618—Allan T. Brackney.
974—John L. Pickering, Jr.
1264—John M. O'Heron.
437—John H. Dooley.
1324—Allen Callon.
1237—John Lawrence.
107—Gust Korelas.
1563—Michael O'Donnell.
652—Lawrence Miller.
2247—Earl F. Jones.
2569—Leo P. Duggan.
1685—George L. Bickes
1381—Edward W. Myers.
2725—John O. Rudisill.
3300—Ralph L. McCarty.
1705—William H. Bohnemeyer.
797—Burton T. Curtis.
3053—Earl W. Muzzy.
739—Otto F. Royce.
1322—Phil S. Callon.
1484—William Arnold.
2868—Vinton Earl Bartlett.
2962—Dale V. Longbons.
2011—Theodore H. Bielinski.
2719—Frank Ore Pine.
1751—James E. Burroughs.
3285—John Sacco.
1236—George Richards.
1723—Stanley Wesneiski.
3358—Jesse T. Ping.
1817—John Kaminski.
1015—Louis J. Cooper.
2993—Clifford M. Jones.
3021—Homer E. Davis.
1031—Everett J. Camp.
514—Ellis M. Davidson.
10—Corbett W. Davis.
2758—Cecil T. Davis.

TABLE GOVERNING PHYSICAL TESTS

Ht. In.	Wt. lbs.	Chest measurement At Ex. In.	Mob. In.
61	116	31	2
62	120	31	2
63	124	31	2
64	128	32	2
65	130	32	2
66	132	32½	2½
67	134	33	2½
68	141	33½	2½
69	135	34	2½
70	155	34	2½
71	162	34½	2½
72	169	34½	3
73	176	35½	3
74	183	36½	3
75	190	36½	3½
76	197	37½	3½
77	204	37½	3½
78	211	38½	4

VARIATIONS PERMITTED.

The following variations below the standard given in the tables are permissible, when the applicant is active, has firm muscles and is evidently vigorous and healthy:

Height (inches)	Chest at expiration, pounds.	Weight, pounds.
61 and under 64.....	1	8
64 and under 68.....	2	10
68 and under 69.....	2	12
69 and under 70.....	2	15
70 and under 73.....	2	20
73 and upward	2	24

CHURCH OF GOD PICNIC AT FAIRVIEW

Thirty-five Members of W. F. M. S. Present At Outing.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Church of God turned their August meeting into a picnic Thursday afternoon and, with their families, spent the afternoon at Fairview park. There were about thirty-five present for the picnic dinner which was served at 6 o'clock.

In the afternoon the regular program was given. Miss Cecile Huston talked on "Unoccupied Fields in America," and Mrs. Angie Taylor followed with a paper on "Unoccupied Fields in the Heart of Asia." The paper read by Mrs. O. R. Clark was "Unoccupied Fields in the Heart of Africa," and Mrs. I. S. Richmond read a report from Mr. Cover, a missionary in India. Following this Mrs. H. S. Clark read "Building an Empire," and Mrs P. E. Conrad talked on "A Medical College for Chinese Women."

POWERS AND FERRE REJECTED

Both Too Light for Their Height.

If you are light for your height, or heavy for your shortness, you stand a mighty good chance of escaping the draft. A great many of those marked physically unfit by the examining physicians of the city and county exemption boards Thursday were too light for their height. The war department sets a certain limit as to weight according to height, and although a man may be perfectly healthy, he must come within the limits.

Jack Powers and Guy Ferre were both rejected as unfit on this account, neither being heavy enough for his height. Mr. Powers was further disqualified in that it is necessary for him to wear glasses. Glasses are no bar to an officer, but they are to an enlisted man.

RECORD FOR EXTREMES.

Too much weight is also disqualifying, but the board is more liberal in accepting heavy men than light men, perhaps on the theory that the training a soldier gets will have a tendency to reduce the man burdened with superfluous flesh, while a thin man is not likely to gain much weight in the army.

The country board holds the record for extremes, having one man of five feet, seven inches, who weighed only 105 pounds, and another of six feet, two, inches, who weighed over 300 pounds. Frank Reis of Blue Mound is the heavy boy.

Michael Menzel of 1720 Johns avenue was the first man called on the country list, and he was rejected, not being a citizen of the United States. He was born in East Prussia, coming to America in 1912, and had not taken out naturalization papers.

News from Sick Beds

S. W. Phillips of Warrensburg who was injured when a wheelbarrow of bricks fell upon him, is slightly improved at St. Mary's hospital. He is resting somewhat easier although he is not entirely out of danger.

Arthur Trainer, the little 10 year old boy who was struck by an automobile east of Mowequa Tuesday, is improving at St. Mary's hospital where he was taken following the accident. His condition is still serious but the hospital authorities expect him to recover.

L. T. L. Children Make Pillows.

The children of the Loyal Temperance Legion met Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Frances Erwin, 1048 North Church street, and made pillows for the Red Cross. Eighteen pillows were made and stuffed. Those who worked during the afternoon were: Blanche McCarter, Louise Wood, Helen Rinehart, Dorothea Burns, Edward Brinkman, Willis Dougherty, Robert Wykoff and Frances Erwin. The children were very much interested with the work and want to meet again. Light refreshments were served.

Midsummer Dishes.

A FIRELESS COOKER DISH.

Have the butcher prepare a good-sized heart for stuffing. Wash thoroughly, being careful to see that no blood remains in the cavities. Make a stuffing by browning a cup of coarse bread crumbs in two or three tablespoonfuls of sweet drippings. Brown these in the oven (they may be prepared in advance whenever there is a fire in the oven) or brown in a fryingpan. Add a chopped onion, salt and pepper to taste, and a little green pepper or tomato if liked, and stuff into the heart. Cook until tender in the fireless cooker after boiling over direct heat for twenty minutes or half an hour. There should be water halfway to cover the heart; that is, enough to make a good gravy. This is an inexpensive dish.

FISH SAUCE.

Perhaps you are to have baked or fried fish for dinner. If the bones have been removed, put these, with the head or heads, into a saucepan, adding a stalk of celery, a little tomato, bay leaf and parsley and about a tablespoonful each of chopped onion and carrot. Cover with water and simmer for an hour or two. Season with salt and pepper. Thicken and serve with the fish.

EGG SALAD FOR COMPANY.

When cooking beets save the water. While this is still warm, put hard boiled eggs into it. Let stand until they are colored a dark pink. Cut in halves lengthwise and take out the yolks. Then cut the whites into shapes resembling daisy petals and arrange them on lettuce leaves, radiating from a point. Grate the yolks and arrange in little piles for daisy centers. Serve with French dressing and thin sandwiches.

SCALLOPED HAM.

Take one cup each of minced ham and bread crumbs. Mix and put into a buttered casserole. Pour over two or three tablespoonfuls of milk beaten with one egg. Top with a grating of cheese and bake for twenty minutes. If green peppers are at hand, add a few pieces for flavoring. If a larger quantity is needed in the dish, use two cups of crumbs instead of one.

A RICH DESSERT

Peel enough peaches to give a generous cupful of peach pulp. Turn over this a cupful of powdered sugar and let stand until a thick syrup forms. Then press through a sieve. Place either in a large glass or in individual glasses and top with whipped cream, using a pint of cream for the amount of pulp given. Garnish with crumbled macaroons. Some plain biscuit or a sponge cake should be served with this. Swedish wafers are good.

FILLING FOR GREEN PEPPERS.

Mix one cupful of cooked rice with one cupful of diced cold chicken or any other meat or fish that is at hand. Add two tablespoonfuls each of melted butter and chopped celery, one of chopped onion and half a cup of diced tomato. Add, also, salt and pepper to taste. Stuff into the peppers and on top put buttered crumbs or grated cheese. Bake until the peppers are soft.

MINT PUNCH.

Lemon, sugar and fresh mint are needed for this fine drink. Boil four cups of water and two of sugar for ten minutes. Have two cupfuls of mint leaves, carefully washed and dried. Bruise these and cut them fine with the scissors. Mix with grated rind and juice of three lemons and then pour the boiling syrup over to infuse the leaves. Let stand over night and then strain. Any green vegetable coloring may be used to make this look as appetizing as it tastes. When serving, add an equal quantity of ginger ale and plenty of clinking ice.

LAURA LEONARD.

110 GIRLS ON TWO HAY WAGONS

Y. W. C. A. Club Federation Has Record Breaking Picnic at Cottage.

The club federation of the Y. W. C. A. had a record breaking picnic at Yohe's cottage Thursday evening. The 110 girls went out from the building on two hay wagons and a motor truck and after the evening was over they returned to town the same way.

Following the picnic supper the semi-annual business meeting was held at which matters of importance were discussed. At this time, also, Miss Vessie Kitch was elected correspondent for the federation and Miss Hazel Bradshaw was elected vice president.

MISS STEIN IN CHARGE OF OFFICE

Of Illinois Grain Dealers' Association in Citizens Building.

Miss Ruth Stein will have charge of the Illinois Grain Dealers' office in the Citizens Title and Trust building and she will have the office open at the regular office hours. C. P. Mulcahy, the assistant secretary of the association, has been called to the navy and E. B. Hitchcock, the secretary, is in Europe, so that Miss Stein, who has been in the office some time, will now have full charge.

WINTER APPLE CROP SAID TO BE GOOD

Jonathans, Black Twigs and Similar Kinds Lead the Trees; Spraying Pays.

Early apples are in the market and they are selling at 35 cents a peck. They are the early transparent kind and are of only indifferent quality. The good news is being handed out that the crop of later apples, the really substantial apples of the Illinois production, is to be large. Particularly is this true of the trees which have been properly sprayed. Black twig, Jonathon, Grimes Golden and others of those good kinds which keep all winter if properly stored, are said to be bending the trees on which they are growing.

Illinois can raise as good apples as are raised anywhere if the proper spraying is done and when one pays sixty cents to a dollar a peck for those which are shipped in it seems as if an opportunity is being missed when the spraying of the family orchard in the country, or town either for that matter, is neglected.

Scrambled.

Farm Life: "No," she said to the grocer, "We got some eggs the other day by parcel post."

"How many?" ventured the grocer.

"Well, I don't know how many, but I would say about a gallon and a half of 'em."

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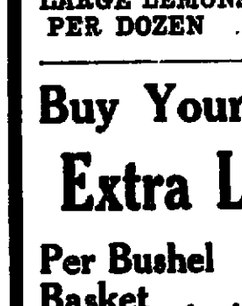
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Take a Package Home

BIG DEMAND FOR TYPHOID SERUM

One Firm Distributes 50 Packages Daily.

FROM SPRINGFIELD

Shipments Each Day to Supply Demand.

One Decatur drug store is selling, or rather giving away, fifty packages of typhoid serum a day. This has been going on since the typhoid fever cases broke out and will continue no doubt until the fever is at an end

This serum is furnished free by the state board of health and the drug store handling it is expected to pass it on to the public without charge The physicians usually charge a fee of one dollar for administering it Each package contains three serums which comprise a complete treatment, the serums being administered at stated intervals

THEY WENT FAST

This store had fifty packages on hand when the rush began These were quickly disposed of and fifty more were ordered Only twelve were sent from Chicago with the word that this city had received its apportionment and no more could be furnished The drug store promptly wrote the state board of health at Springfield stating that the exigencies in Decatur did not permit of doling out serum on any apportionment basis The full amount ordered was quickly sent and more has been coming every day in lots of fifty packages

MUST BE FRESH

The daily supply always arrives about 9 o'clock in the morning and is disposed of before noon No doubt more could be had at a time but serums, antitoxins etc., must be fresh and while on hand they must be kept in cold storage It is advisable therefore to get it in daily shipments that will just about supply the demand

MATTES GETS HIS

Commissioner J. F. Mattes received from the state board of health Thursday afternoon fifty packages of typhoid anti-toxin Each package contains three treatments or amount required to make a person immune. Commissioner Mattes will furnish these packages free to poor families who wish to be vaccinated against typhoid fever This is the same treatment given the soldiers and has resulted in banishing typhoid fever from army camps throughout the world

ADVERTISE FOR MEN WHO SPEAK ENGLISH

George A. Williams Tells of Labor Conditions in New England.

George A. Williams, president of the Williams Sealing company, says that in Waterbury, Conn. the present home of the company, there is a great labor scarcity and to substantiate his statement he brought out a copy of one of the Waterbury papers The advertisements in that paper which catch the eye of the Decatur man are those which run like this Wanted two men who speak English to act as superintendents or inspectors, or the like This is in Essex New England Advertising for men who speak English

Mr Williams says that the labor there is largely made up of people from the south of Europe—Italians and Greeks with a great racial mixture of many kinds from the numerous countries in the Balkan region

The Lithuanians also are numerous and as they come from the northern part of old Poland they is looked upon as very desirable and efficient workmen

The labor situation in the east combined with the scarcity high cost of fuel and the fact that it is on one side of the market for which most of the goods are made, will eventually send most of the manufacturers to the west the central west where materials are at least as easy of access as in the east and the factory is in the middle of a great market for the product

PARTS ORDERED FOR TRUCK BUILDING

Pan American to Turn Out Heavy Duty Motors; Follow U. S. Specifications.

The Pan American Motor company has placed an order for special parts for the manufacture of heavy trucks

The company now plans to build the two two and half, three and three and a half ton truck The large heavy machine and government specifications are to be followed.

The trucks will sell from $2,500 to $3,500 and will be made for heavy work It is planned to get started in a small way on the truck proposition this fall but the manufacture of these heavy machines will probably not be fully developed before next year

These are not the delivery machine but the heavy purpose truck made for heavy loads, and they will be built right up to the strict government specifications

HEAVY FINE FOR WOMAN VIOLATOR

But Man in Case Was Let off with a Light One.

Mrs Lottie Kelly (nee Kipp) and J. F White were arrested in the stairway of the United States Wire Mat factory at 10 o'clock Thursday night, charged with disorderly conduct Both pleaded guilty before Justice Noble The woman was fined $200 and costs, a total of $207.65, but the man was let off with a fine of $5 30 The women went to jail, being unable to pay the fine.

DANVILLE CLAIMS NATIONAL HONORS

Chicago, Aug 3.—Danville, Vermilion county has been on the map since "Uncle Joe" Cannon first went to congress, and in the newspapers often. The newspaper comments haven't always been complimentary In times past the city on the eastern rim of the state has served as a horrible example, for several things

Now, however, comes John H Harrison, member of the State Council of Defense, and editor of the Commercial-News of Danville, and claims for his home town the foremost place of all the cities of the nation in demonstrated patriotism and in general national service for the war

To prove his contentions, Mr Harrison quotes these facts.

Item—Danville is the only city in Illinois, or in the nation, of, or approximating, its size, which the selective draft law doesn't touch In other words the exemption district in which Danville lies has no draft, not a single soldier for the national army is to be conscripted within the city limits

Item—Vermilion county, which includes Danville, over-subscribed its Red Cross fund 10 per cent

Item—Vermilion county has the highest per capita percentage membership in the Red Cross of any county in the state

Item—Vermilion county over-subscribed its allotment of Liberty Loan bonds 20 per cent

The reason that the conscription law is a dead-letter in Danville is not because that city has seceded but because all the men required from it by the government have gone into the army as volunteers The exemption board of the district (Danville forms a district by itself) hasn't a thing on earth to do

"In other cities slackers may make their pleas and the faint-hearted may get married in order to avoid the army, but nothing of that kind will happen in Danville" says Mr Harrison proudly "Our full quota is not only now enlisted, but we have already in the service twenty-five per cent of our quota for the second call if there shall be a second call And if the second call is delayed a few months we will have our full quota for it made up before the call is issued

116TH REGIMENT IN ANNUAL REUNION

Frederick Schwab Makes Arrangements.

Preliminary plans for the fifty-first annual reunion of the 116th regiment, which is to be held in Fairview park, Thursday Aug 16 have



Frederick Schwab

been completed and the different committees are going ahead with arrangements which will make the reunion this year one of the best that has been known President Frederick Schwab is making the arrangements

There will be the usual army reunion dinner served in the park pavilion at noon which will be followed by roll call The members of the regiment will respond to the roll call either by answering in person or by letters which will be read at this time A program for the afternoons entertainment is being arranged.

The officers of the regiment are Fred Schwab, president and secretary; J. A. Cochran, vice-president, Daniel Moore, treasurer; N. M Baker, chaplain, and George Lyons, assistant secretary.

MOWEAQUA MAN'S AUTO IS FOUND

Thieves Abandoned It at Garfield and Warren.

Louis Brown of Moweaqua attended a picture show in Decatur Thursday night and when he left the theater he could not find his light Buick auto that had been left standing at the curb The police were notified and at 6 30 Friday morning the patrol wagon towed it in from the corner of Garfield avenue and Warren street. The batteries had run down

CHICAGO POLICE HUNT FOR SLACKERS

Chicago, Aug 3.—Chicago policemen today began a house to house canvass of the city with orders to arrest every man of draft age found who cannot show a registration card

Awaiting Motherhood



Women, almost without exception, are prone to nervous apprehension when on the road to motherhood. A woman knows that however many people there are close or dear to her, she must face the crisis alone.

There is nothing today prepared for women at such a time that receives such heartfelt expressions of gratitude as does the absolutely safe, tried and reliable preparation, 'Mother's Friend".

By the use of this penetrating massage the expanding muscles of the abdomen relax naturally when baby arrives. The nerves, ligaments and tendons beneath the skin are soothed, the tendency to morning nausea is avoided, and the expectant mother enjoys days of cheerfulness. The nights are not disturbed with nervous twitchings and the crisis is one of happiness and less pain.

Get a bottle from the druggist and write the Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. N, Lamar Building, Atlanta, Ga., for their interesting little book, "Motherhood and the Baby". It will be sent without charge to any woman. "Mothers' Friend" is a wonderful help to nature and no woman should fail, by any chance, to apply it herself night and morning.

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--Kuppenheimer Air-O-Weave Suits top the list; tailored of a light, cool, breeze-admitting fabric that possesses all the style and shape-retaining features of fine woolens. Prices, $12 and $15.

Palm Beach Suits in smart styles, $10 *and* $12

2-piece Tropical Worsted Suits, $15 *and* $18

Light-weight Flannels, unlined, $15 *and* $18

Boys' Kool-Kloth Palm Beaches at $4 *and* $5



Substantial Savings on Fine Woolen Clothes

--Present prices are all in your favor; we have not yet advanced with the market. The woolen situation is acute. It's hard to forecast what clothes will cost in 1918. Forehanded men are buying now for the future and enjoying an unusual measure of value, at every price between $15 and $35.

Finish the Season With a New Straw Buy One Here Now at One-Half Price

—Take any sennit sailor or soft straw in the stock for just half its former price; none reserved.

All $2.00 Straw Hats, $1.00 All $3.00 Straw Hats, $1.50
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--All $5 Panamas, Leghorns, Bankoks, $3.50

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SOCIETY

GENE ROBERTSON TO WED IN FALL

Engagement to Chicago Girl is Announced.

LUNCHEON IS GIVEN

By Miss Alice Roberts for Miss Paxton.

THE engagement of Miss Florence Louise Montgomery and Eugene C. Robertson has been announced. Miss Montgomery is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Graham Montgomery, of Elmhurst, and Mr. Robertson is the son of Mrs. Mary L. Robertson of Decatur. No definite date has been set for the wedding, but it will be late in the year, probably in November or December.

Miss Montgomery is known to many Decatur people since she has visited Mrs. Robertson here at different times. During the last two years she has spent most of her time in study in the Art Institute, in Chicago.

Mr. Robertson is a member of the firm of Stadler and Robertson here, and a member of several clubs.

A LUNCHEON at the Country club was given Thursday noon by Miss Alice Roberts for her house guest, Miss Laura Paxton, of Los Angeles, who is here for a few days. There were covers for ten and the affair was exceptionally enjoyable in that it gave Miss Paxton an opportunity to visit with many of her old friends. She formerly lived in Decatur and has many school friends here.

Saturday Miss Paxton will leave for Chicago for a visit before returning to California.

THE sudden cool wave came just in time to make the dancing at the Country club most enjoyable Thursday night. The ball room was comfortably filled during the evening and with its windows open to catch every breeze, it was a delightful place to dance.

At the dinner which preceeded the dance there were nearly sixty guests, with only a few small parties. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Irving had a party of sixteen for Mr. and Mrs. Winger of San Francisco and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mueller had at their table Mrs. Bumstead, of New Haven, Conn. and Mrs Spencer Ewing of Bloomington.

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Mrs. J. M. Lee, formerly of Decatur, is here from her home in Red Bluff, Cal., for a month's visit with relatives and friends. This week end she is spending with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meridith.

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Mrs. Spencer Ewing of, Bloomington, is spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich.

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MISS Florence Chapin, of Los Angeles, who has been visiting in Bloomington for some time, is spending the week end with Miss Helen Miller. Tonight Miss Miller is giving a small house dance for Miss Chapin, at which there are to be about twenty guests. The house will be filled with great bunches of daisies and during the evening ices and cakes are to be served.

Sunday afternoon Miss Miller is having a line party at one of the theaters with the town members of Zeta Tau Alpha as her guests and after the play, the girls will motor to Fairview park where a picnic supper will be served.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McClelland and daughter, Miss Marian, and son, Preston, returned today from Bellaire, Mich., where they have been for several weeks.

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Dr. and Mrs. Will Barnes have returned from a month spent among the lakes and mountains in the east Accompanied by Miss Jessie Gillett and Mrs. George Stanton they motored from Lake Champlain to Montreal and then on into the Adirondacks, spending a few days at Plattsburg and Saratoga Springs.

Mrs. Stanton will remain in the east for a few weeks longer but Dr. and Mrs. Barnes returned Thursday night.

300 ATTEND LINN & SCRUGGS PICNIC

Store Employes Have Enjoyable Time at Faries Park.

About 300 people attended the annual Linn & Scruggs picnic held at Faries Park Thursday afternoon and evening, and a baseball game between the Gushard nine and the team from Linn & Scruggs was one of the features of the day. Owing to the fact that the adding machine was not brought along exact figures on the score are not available but estimates made by those present would indicate that the Gushard team won by a score of about 22 to 12. The game was a good one until about the seventh inning when the Gushards sneaked out and set off a mine under the trenches of their rivals in the shape of two home runs and it was necessary for the of the day to retire to their third of defense, making a "strategic" withdrawal.

Swimming, boating and dancing, with a picnic supper about six o'clock, filled in a happy day for the crowd.

Two special interurban cars took the crowd out in the afternoon and brought it back at 10:30 in the evening.

NEXT CONCERT AT FAIRVIEW PARK

Goodman Band Will Play Sunday Afternoon; Big Crowd Out.

The crowd in Central park, to listen to the concert by the Goodman band, Thursday night, was perhaps the largest of the season. It was a delightful evening, a cool breeze springing up about the time the concert started. About every square foot of space in the park was occupied and hundreds of automobiles were parked around the square and in adjoining streets. The program was greatly enjoyed. The quartet singing was good.

Sunday afternoon the Goodman band will give a concert in Fairview park, beginning at 3 o'clock. It will be the first concert of the season in that park. It is expected to have a concert in one of the east side parks in the near future.

Next Thursday night's concert will be at the Transfer house.

MUELLER BAND CONCERT TONIGHT

Program for Event at College and Eldorado Streets Issued.

With nearly every one of the 1,000 tickets sold for the annual concert and social of the Mueller band Friday evening the event promises to be one of the biggest successes which the band has given.

Manager Ray Kauffman has been superintending the distribution of tickets and says that he is pleased with the way things are shaping up. The concert will be held at the corner of Eldorado and College streets Friday evening, with the concert beginning promptly at 7:30.

The following program will be given:

March, "Wake Up, America".(Glogow)
Overture, "La Burlesque"....(Suppe)
Overture, "Sky High"...(Whitmarks)
March, "Long Live Our U. S. A."...
.....H. C. Miller
Grand Faust Selections.....(Gounod)
"Xylophone Rag"
"Shadowland" .....(B. Gilbert)
Songs from the Old Folks, Selection .....(C. M. Lakers)
"Humoresque" .....(A. Dvorak)
Medley of national airs, "Our Nation" .....(Markie Beyer)
"Star Spangled Banner"

COEUR DE LEON ENJOYS SOCIAL

Knights of Pythias Hear Patriotic Address by Owen Scott.

About 100 members of Coeur De Leon Lodge, K. of P., and their friends had a delightful evening at the hall of the lodge Thursday evening.

The formal part of the program consisted of a patriotic address by Owen Scott on "Our Home, Flag and Country," and R. C. Varner gave several dialect readings including Italian, negro and school boy impersonations.

The special K. of P. quartet consisting of Callen, Hart, Cusey and Harris gave many songs, and the informal part of the singing which came after the program was about as much enjoyed as anything put on during the evening as everybody joined in to help make the music.

The meeting was just a good time meeting and was, in a way, for the purpose of showing non-members present what a jolly lot of fellows the regular members were.

The men served the refreshments and few accidents to trays are reported.

Franklyn Farnum in "The Clean Up" today and tomorrow at the Avon.

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Scratch Feed, per 100 pounds	$1.00
Bacon, according to weight	35c and 40c
Picnic Hams, per pound	25c
Danzeisen Lard, per pound	25c
Bread, large loaf	10c
Navy Beans, per pound	18c
Butter: Creamery	44c
Oleomargarine	25c and 32c

Canned Milk:	Small	Tall
Hebe	.06	.12
Danish Pride	.06½	.13
Armour	.06½	.13
Pet	.07	.14
Carnation	.07	.14

Potatoes, per peck	55c
Cabbage, per pound	2c
Eggs, per dozen	36c
2½ pound can Y. C. Peaches—Halves in Syrup	17c
Borden's Eagle Brand Milk	23c
Jar Rubbers, three dozen	25c
Oatmeal: Cherry Blossom	10c
Oatmeal: Wedding Ring	10c
Wash Crisps, per package	9c
Soups, per can	10c
Coffee, 15 brands, rangings from 18c to	45c
Corn, 2 cans for	25c
Pink Beans, per can	11c
Red Beans, per can	12c
Peas, 2 cans for	25c
Soaked Peas, 3 cans for	25c
Matches, three boxes for	10c
Genuine Red Kidney Beans, 2 cans for	25c
Soap: Lenox—Crystal White	5c
Maple City	2 for 11c
Swift's Pride	4c
All others	6c
E. C. Corn Flakes	3 for 25c
All 15c package Cookies	14c
Crackers, per pound	15c
Ginger Snaps	2 pounds for 25c
Dried Peaches, per pound	15c
Fine Large Prunes, per pound	20c
Hominy, per can	10c
Bluing, per bottle	5c
Smoked Jowls, per pound	25c
Meal: 5 pounds	28c
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Our Trimmed Hats at $1.00

MEANS a positive clearance of all of our colored trimmed millinery. We make no exceptions, even some of these hats were designed to sell for ten times what we are asking. Our inventory is closed and Fall hats are coming every day. Choice of these colored hats for **$1**

The Wm Gushard Dry Goods Co

Saturday--a Day of Savings

SO MANY of the odd lots and surplus stocks uncovered by inventory will be closed out tomorrow, making it a day of very unusual shopping opportunities. On any floor you may visit, you will see desirable summer merchandise conspicuously displayed at prices far under their value.

Midsummer Blouses---in Styles that "are-to-be" rather than styles that "were"



WHY buy the old when you can have the new at prices just as low? Why have the Styles that was once good instead of the Styles that "are-to-be?" Buying Bouses here means that you always get the **New Fashionable Incoming Styles** and it means even more than that—namely, that the prices on these New Styles are as low or lower than "on-sale" **passe** styles are ordinarily sold for. Close co-operation with the makers—with the frequent arrivals, and lower making and selling costs accounts for this fortunate condition.

Midsummer Wirthmor Waists $1

Dress Shields & Sanitary Goods

Dress Shields in sizes 2, 3, 4, extra value Saturday	10c
Absorbent Cotton, especially prepared for surgical purposes, 15c value, at	10c
Sanitary Aprons, full size, 50c value, at	39c
Sanitary Aprons, 35c value, at	29c
Sanitary Bloomers, in small, medium and large size, at 50c and	75c
Pink Sanitary Belts, in small and medium size, a good value at	35c
Sanitary Belts, 25c value, at	19c
Seamless Sanitary Napkins, 1 dozen in box, full bleached, 39c value, at	29c
Sanitary Napkins, 25c value, at	19c
Garment Shields, in sizes 2, 3, 4, 35c values, Saturday special	19c

Children's Dresses

Tomorrow, we will close out a line of children's gingham dresses in ages 3, 4 and 5 years—regular $1.25 to $1.75 values,

89c

Children's Hats

About two dozen little, white straw hats for little tots of two or three years of age. To make quick sale tomorrow, we offer them in our children's section for each,

19c

More Week-End Specials in Basement Wares

Guaranteed Garden Hose.

50 ft. of ½ inch Moulded Hose	$4.75
50 ft. of ⅝ inch Moulded Hose	$5.00
50 ft. of ¾ inch Moulded Hose	$5.50
$1.00 Oil Mop with 54-inch handle	55c
Community Par Plate Ice Tea Spoons, a set of 6 for	$1
A set of Six Mixing Bowls at	55c

White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers.

1 quart size at	$1.50
2 quart size at	$2.00
3 quart size at	$2.30

All Bronze Statuary **One-Half Price** Saturday Only.

6 rolls of Crepe Toilet Paper for 25c

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Old Wheat **FLOUR** 49 lb. Sack **$3.45**

Last Chance at This Price. Higher Next Week Sure.

SWEET CORN, DOZEN EARS	20c
TOMATOES, BASKET	20c
IRISH COBBLER POTATOES, THE CLEAN WHITE KIND, PECK	55c
Green Beans, pound	5c
Onions, 6 pounds	25c
Watermelons 35c and	40c
Sunkist Lemons, dozen	35c
Cabbage, large heads	5c
Indiana Cantaloupes, 3 for	25c
LARGE GREEN CUCUMBERS, EACH	5c

YOU CAN'T BEAT OUR PRICES

ROSES, Long Stem



Per Dozen **$1**

Roses, Short Stem per dozen	50c
Carnations, per dozen	50c
Sweet Peas, per bunch	25c
Gladioli, per dozen	$1.00

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120 E. PRAIRIE ST.

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100 pound Bag Cane Sugar	$8.75
10-pound Bag Cane Sugar	99c
Bunny Flour, large sack	$3.59
3 Packages Shredded Wheat	40c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes	10c
2 tall cans Salmon	33c
Extra Fine Corn, two cans	25c
6 Bars P. and G. Naptha Soap	35c
2 Packages White Line	9c
Apples, good cookers, per peck	25c

MEAT DEPARTMENT
Veal—Beef—and—Pork.

Boiling Beef, per pound	11c
Tender Steak, per pound	19c
Tender Beef Roast, per pound	17½c
Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, extra good; the side or half side, per pound	34c

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Flour and Sugar will be higher—Buy Now.

Cane Granulated Sugar, 100 pounds	$9.50
Cane Sugar, 25 pounds, $2.40; 10 pounds only	$1.00
Guaranteed Kansas Flour, 49-pound sack	$3.75
Jar Rings, extra heavy, three dozen	25c
Jar Caps, best made, dozen only	30c
White Line and Nine O'Clock Washing Powder, pkg.	5c
Prunes, large size, clean up price, per pound	15c
Crystal White Soap, box, 100 bars, $4.55; ten bars	49c
Flake White Soap, ten bars, this sale	65c
P. and G. Naptha Soap, ten bars, this sale	65c
Ivory Soap, box, $6.25; ten bars	65c
Hominy, No. 3 size can, 10c; dozen cans	$1.15
Tomatoes, No. 3 size can, 20c; dozen cans	$2.25
Kidney Beans, No. 2 size, 2 cans 25c; dozen	$1.45
Red Beans, No. 1 size can, 10c; dozen	$1.15
Salmon, tall fancy Pink, per can	20c
Quaker Oats, this sale, two packages	25c
Post Toasties, two packages	25c
Post Toasties, large family size, per package	15c
Crisco, 1½ lb. tin, better than Lard, per can	40c
Pink Beans, No. 2 size can, 10c; dozen	$1.15
Flour, 5 pounds good Flour, only	40c
Lenox Soap bargain, 5 bars	25c

USE THE TELEPHONES——USE THE TELEPHONES
W. L. HINTON STAR GROCER AND BAKERY.

PYBURN'S MARKET

We Deliver — 619 N. WATER ST. — Bell 3437

SPECIAL PRICES FOR SATURDAY.

HIGH GRADE HARD WHEAT FLOUR, PER SACK	$3.45
DRESSED CHICKENS, PER LB.	25c
CHOICE BEEF ROASTS, PER LB.	15c
Choice Beef Steak, per pound	17c
BOILING BEEF, PER LB.	12½c
SALT PORK, PER LB.	20c
Pork Shoulder, per pound (whole)	22c
Salt Pork, per pound (Bellies)	29c
Lamb Stew, per pound	18c
Bacon, by side, per pound	30c and 35c
Cane Sugar: 25-lb. sack	$2.35
Cane Sugar: 10-lb. sack	$1.00
Cane Sugar: 5-lb. sack	50c
Danzeisen's Pure Lard, 50 pound can	$11.50
Pure Lard, per pound	24c
Lard Compound, per pound	20c
High Grade Butterine, per pound	30c and 23c
Smoked Sugar Cured Bacon Squares, pound	28c
Sugar Cured Smoked Hams, half or whole, lb.	28c and 26c
Choice Corned Beef, per pound	18c and 15c
Picnic Hams, per pound	22c
Rice, per pound	9c
Navy Beans, per pound	17½c

We Handle Swift's, Moxley's, and Freedman's Butterine.

HESSLER NOT TO CLAIM EXEMPTION

Though Married, He Will Join Army.

Tales have often been told of the rah-rah boy who has no nerve. Herbert Hessler of Decatur was a rah-rah boy, but no one can accuse him of being short of necessary aggressiveness.



Herbert Hessler.

Mr Hessler was one of the first Decatur men to be drafted. He does not propose to ask exemption, even though he was married some months ago. His wife, formerly Miss Mattie Horn, is planning to return to her home in Salt Lake City to remain until the war is over. Mr Hessler could have asked and secured exemption because his wife is dependent on him for support, but he did not propose to do so.

HAS GOOD JOB

Since his graduation from Millikin two or three years ago, Mr Hessler has been employed at the Tariff Manufacturing company as a cost expert. He has an excellent position and a bright future with the company but has decided to give it all up to serve his country.

Mr Hessler has an application entered for the next officers' reserve camp at Fort Sheridan. If he does not enter this camp he proposes to get into the new national army as a private. He was formerly captain of the Millikin football team and is physically well qualified.

Mr Hessler is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Hessler.

QUITS $125 JOB; ENLISTS IN NAVY

William H. Walker in Uncle Sam's Service as Coal Heaver.

Commercial traveler at $125 a month to "tallow pot" in the navy is quite a step in the direction which most ambitious young men would hesitate to take, but it did not deter William H. Walker, former manager of the Vic & Fritz grocery in Decatur, from resigning such a position and enlisting as a coal heaver in the United States navy.

Walker is very well known in Decatur and had been connected with various grocery enterprises during his stay here. Recently he has been employed as traveling salesman for the American Cup Coffee company at a salary of $125 a month. He joined the navy at Quincy.

FINE YOU $1,000 IF YOU HAVE NO MONEY

Drawing Worthless Checks with Intent to Defraud Dangerous Now.

Some of the paying tellers in the banks in Decatur think that the attention of people who draw checks should be called to the fact that anyone who draws on a bank in which he has no funds with intent to defraud is liable to a fine of $1,000 or imprisonment of one year or both.

The fact that such a check is given is prima facie evidence of the intent to defraud. The intent to defraud, however, must be part of the act. The unintentional drawing of a check for more than the amount in bank does not constitute an illegal act.

RICH IOWANS HELD FOR TREASON

Lowden, Ia., Aug. 3.—Four citizens of this community, three of them past sixty years of age, were arrested by federal officers today and charged with treason and resisting the government. Five or six others are being questioned and more arrests may result. The action followed an outbreak that approached a riot between loyal citizens and pro-Germans last night.

The prisoners are Albert Schaeffer, 65, retired farmer; William Richman, 66, furniture dealer; Ernest Meier, 65, retired farmer, and Carl Gerhl 36, farmer. All are reckoned wealthy.

United States Marshal Moore and Deputy Healy arrived here from Cedar Rapids after they had been informed that this town of 700 population was a hot bed of sedition. Richman has a son who enlisted in the army and he is reported to have said that he would rather see the boy dead than bearing arms against Germany. The charges against the other men have not been made public in detail.

1,000 ATTEND OLD STONINGTON PICNIC

Stonington, Aug. 3.—With cooling weather and a stiff breeze blowing Thursday was an ideal day for the forty-first Old Stonington picnic which was held two miles south of Stonington Thursday.

It was a typical Stonington reunion with a big picnic dinner at noon. Through the big park, families with the picnic baskets were scattered, enjoying the picnic to its fullest extent.

One thousand persons attended the picnic. The number would have been considerably increased had it not been for the press of farm work.

During the afternoon a program which included several addresses was given. There were the usual games, races and contests to delight the children. Stonington band furnished the music for the dance in the afternoon and evening.

ENLISTS IN THE AVIATION CORPS



HARRY C. CHRISTNER.

Another Decatur boy who has enlisted in the service of his country. He has gone into the aviation corps as a stenographer.

18 CANDIDATES FOR OFFICERS' SCHOOL

Decatur Young Men Pass Test At Springfield.

Eighteen young men from Decatur passed the physical examination for admission to the second officers' training camp at Springfield Thursday. Those who took the examination successfully are:

Russell Helmick	Lawrence Tindell
Robert Miller	William Cooper
Will Collip	John Evans
Emmett Swisher	Alex Long
Fred Platt	Dale Brown
Ralph Tenney	Nellis Parkinson
Roscoe Goodman	Glen Pilsbry
Clifford Jones	Roy Moore
Lawrence Myers	Herbert Hessler

These men will be eligible for admission into the second officers' reserve training camp this fall as soon as they receive their appointments.

Used Car Bulletin

ALL MAKES

Prices, $100 Up

Our business is selling new cars. Not a second hand store. The man with no knowledge whatever of automobiles will be exactly on the same footing as the expert. Cars must be as represented and sold on money back proposition if not satisfactory. These cars are standard makes.

Overland, Model 79, electric starter and lights.
Overland, Model 79, electric starter and lights.
Overland, Model 75B electric starter and lights.
Overland, Model 82, six cylinder 7-passenger, electric starter and lights.
Overland, Model 83, electric starter and lights.
Overland, Model 75 B, Roadster, electric starter, lights.
Cole, five-passenger, touring, electric starter and lights.
Saxon Six, 16 Model, five-pass., electric starter, lights.

These cars are all late Models and are in excellent condition. We also have a few cars without starter and lights suitable for light delivery trucks and speedsters.

This list will be revised from time to time. Watch for it.

W. C. STARR

530 N. MAIN ST.

Overland Service Station.

BLAMES BOYS FOR $1,000 FIRE LOSS

John Kress Had $300 Insurance on Shed.

Fire of unknown origin gutted the rear store house and shed of the bakery of John Kress, 424 North Morgan street, about 4 o'clock Thursday evening, causing damages estimated to reach $1,000.

The fire appeared to have started in the loft of the rear shed which is used as a store shed for the Home Manufacturing Co., stables, and the interior of the brick walled shed was soon a roaring furnace. The heavy black smoke which poured out of the building caused many people to believe that the fire was more extensive than it was.

Fire department No. 2 was called first and No. 1 arrived a few seconds later, and soon leads of hose were pouring water in the fire. Two delivery wagons and quantities of feed and stores were destroyed, which with the loss on the building will bring the loss up to about $1,000 it is thought.

BLAMES BOYS

Mr. Kress is of the opinion that the blaze was started by small boys who were seen loitering in the alleyway. The loft of the shed was piled high with a lot of rubbish, which made the fire gain rapid headway. Mr. Kress had $300 in insurance on his property. Mr. Kress recently had an auto delivery wagon smashed by a street car. He is hoping that his bad luck is over.

PEORIA WOMAN DIES IN DECATUR

Mrs. Pruetia Hailey Is Victim of Heart Trouble.

Mrs. Pruetia Hailey of Peoria, wife of Edward Hailey, died at 11:30 o'clock Thursday night at the residence of Mrs. Ellen Lindsey, 736 South Colfax street, Decatur. Her death was caused by heart trouble.

Mrs. Hailey had been a sufferer from heart trouble for several years, but her condition was not regarded as serious. She and Mrs. Lindsey were old friends and last Sunday Mrs. Hailey came for a visit with Mrs. Lindsey and was taken ill shortly after her arrival. Thursday arrangements were made to take her home to Peoria, but her condition grew rapidly worse and it was not thought best to remove her.

Mrs. Hailey is survived by her husband and three step-sons, William, Frank and Rex Hailey, all of Peoria. She also leaves her mother, Mrs. Sarah Greider, and two brothers. The body was removed to the Moran undertaking establishment and prepared for shipment to Peoria.

WOMAN BOUND TO GRAND JURY

Mrs. Lucy Stevens Charged With Contributing to Delinquency.

Mrs. Lucy Stevens, 821 North Clinton street, charged with contributing to the delinquency of young girls, was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $1,000 in Justice Noble's court Thursday afternoon. Unable to give bond she went to jail. She was arrested on complaint of Elwood Edwards, whose fourteen-year-old daughter, Alberta, was declared delinquent a few days ago. Four girls testified that she let them use her home as a place for entertaining their men friends.

Franklyn Farnum in "The Clean Up" today and tomorrow at the Avon.

ALL IS WELL AT ANNA, SAYS HEINZ

Decatur Bandsmen Pass Examination and Enter Service.

Word has been received from H. J. Heinz at Anna, Ill., that all the members of the company had passed the physical examination and had been mustered into the federal service.

Friday evening the band will give a concert at the Anna fair grounds for the benefit of the Red Cross.

On Tuesday last Robinson's circus showed at the town and the men took a half holiday to see the show.

-GREATEST- SHOE SALE Ever Held

Open Saturday, Until 10 p. m.



A cleanup of summer footwear at prices regardless of their costs.

You have your choice of any high-grade low shoe in our stock, values up to $5.95 for **$2.45**

AT $1.95 you can have your choice of any $3.95 grade of patent, kid, gray, ivory white pumps.

We offer you our entire stock of odds and ends, also samples in patent, glazed kid, Bronze, in high and low shoes, values up to $5.00, your choice **$1.00**

Berland's

4th Floor Citizens Bank Building.

Smart Women's Wear. — **The Charlotte** — 147 North Water.

August Clean-Up Specials For Saturday

Unusual liberal reductions are offered for Saturday, on garments which are needed now, and which are in the very height of style. 'Twill pay you now for as far ahead as next summer.

$19.75 Dresses $10

Women's pretty wash dresses, in very desirable white and colored materials; newest styles, beautifully made; regular $19.75 values at **$10**

$3.50 Wash Skirts $1.98

Very fashionable models, of fine gabardines and poplins, made in the most wanted effects; actual value $3.50—Saturday **$1.98**

$10 Dresses for $5

Wash dresses of finest, sheerest summer materials, in a wide variety of colors and styles; actual $10.00 values are offered at, choice **$5**

$10 Silk Skirts $6.98

Beautiful models, made of newest silken materials, in both striped and plain colored effects; good variety; real $10 values at, choice **$6.98**

$5 Dresses for $2.98

Extremely desirable styles, made of prettiest materials, in white and a good range of new colors; dresses actually worth $5 offered now at **$2.98**

$6.98 Silk Skirts $3.98

Newest models, in desirable stripes and plain navy blue; sizes from 26 to 30 waist; the regular $6.98 quality at, your choice for **$3.98**

$5 Wash Skirts $3.50

White washable skirts of fine poplins, gabardines, piques and linens; newest models, nicely made; regular $5 value offered at, each **$3.50**

New Silk Dresses $15

New arrivals of fine taffetas, crepes de chine and satins; all the leading new shades, and a variety of prettiest models; excellent value at **$15**

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Bell Phone 551 **Automatic 1158**

LOST AND FOUND.

Stolen Excelsior wheel from starch works Turtle is known Return and avoid trouble

Lost In H S or Class pin between Edward St and Linn & Scruggs on Main Return 411 Millikin Bldg Reward

Lost Tuesday night purse containing glasses presumably at Lyon theatre Edward Hill phone 4290

Found Some money at Fair association office Owner may have by identifying and paying for this ad

Lost Bunch of keys Return to No 11 110 N Main Reward

Lost Lady's purse in First Presbyterian church last Sunday containing Red Cross certificate and small change Return to 804 N Water Liberal reward Phone 2756

Lost Red cow 1 yr old in right eye black tail white about body Chas Mill Dreadle

Lost Between Decatur and Argenta on William St red 1 dem umbrella rim and tips and tire holder size tire 28x3 Last Friday night, July 27 Finder please return same or notify Box 5 Argenta Ill and receive reward

WANTED—POSITIONS.

Wanted A lady cooking or general house work Res 424 S Franklin Bell 3080

Wanted By married man who is not subject to draft a connection with a large firm Traveling Experienced salesman both road and retail Expert in cooking, baking and furnishing Must be a good proposition Any line will be considered Can invest Address H 59 care Review

WANTED—HELP.

Wanted—Experienced waitress and porter at Lincoln Cafe

Wanted Stenographer for one week Call Bell 4-X

Wanted To communicate with parties man and wife preferred who are experienced and competent to operate our dining hall during August and September serving meals to about 30 men We furnish everything and pay by the week Address H 99, care Review

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Wanted—Experienced car washer do not apply unless you want to work Rogers Taxi Co 244 E Wood

Wanted—Boy 16 years old, with bicycle 418 N Water.

Wanted—Young man 17 years or over Mac's News Agency and Newsstand

Wanted — Driver for one-horse wagon. Phone 3600.

Wanted—4 coal shovelers at power house corner Edward and Cerro Gordo, Saturday 7 a m

Wanted—Man for the washroom Schudel Bros Laundry

Wanted—Barber, one capable of managing shop must be competent, boozers need not apply Living rooms may go with shop if desired. A good proposition for the right man R C Poston, Assumption, Ill.

Wanted—men to wheel dirt. Apply greenhouse north end of Broadway, or call 917 ring 11

Wanted—Married man to work on farm. Bell phone 1612

Wanted—A boy to work in clothing store over 16 Inquire of Geo W Harris, 154 Merchant

Wanted—Carpenter and repair work at rear of 240 W Main Bell 2021

Wanted—A night porter Apply at office Hotel Orlando

Wanted Laborers for either day or night work Apply Wabash Ice House Bell 791 Wages $1.50 day

Feeder for Platen press—Must be experienced Willenbrock & Wilder 129 N Main

Wanted Barber $15 guarantee with 65 per cent job good for $20 to $30 per week Wire me at my expense Ransom Lewis, 814 E Main St, Danville Ill

WANTED—LABORERS 221 Millikin Bldg.

Wanted — Good steady barber at once young man preferred. Bump and Jones, Morrisonville Ill.

Wanted—First class tool and die makers machinist and tool room grinder hands Highest wages paid to good men none but first class men need apply. Wagner Electric Mfg Co, St. Louis, Mo.

Wanted—Carpenter and repair work at rear of 240 W. Main. Bell 2021.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Wanted — Girl for general house work country Bell 981 ring 12

Wanted—Cleaning women and chamber maids. Apply to housekeeper Hotel Orlando

Wanted — Experienced milliners sales woman, good salaries will be paid competent women Apply millinery section Linn & Scruggs.

Wanted — Experienced woman to take charge of house work. Good treatment. Bell 6056

Girls Wanted—Apply at once. Decatur Garment Co.

WANTED—SALESMEN.

Large institution needs an experienced salesman, I C S or stock experience preferred write fully H 55, Review

WANTED—AGENTS.

Wanted—General agent to cover county and appoint local dealers. The finest bit on the market, new patent no imitation, sells on sight counties going fast Call for Herb Bowman at the St James Hotel for full demonstration

WANTED—TO BUY.

Wanted to Buy Bicycle must be in good condition John Ras 315 N Jasper Bell 981

Wanted—Old false teeth Don't matter if broken, I pay $2 to $15 per set, send by parcel post and receive check by return mail L Mazer 2005 S Fifth Street Philadelphia Pa

Wanted — 5 cases eggs hide and junk market price will send out car Geo Zerr Poultry Bell 3048

WANTED — Men's clothing and shoes furniture of all kinds bicycles in fact anything Tel 1028 501 N Water 8200

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Wanted—Married couple or two young ladies to room with board if desired private family 140 W King

Wanted—Light hauling Call R. H Oliphant Bell 4427

Wanted—If you want your walls newly papered from mixed and polished or varnished call Adam Lee plaster tinting and repairing rental property, wall paper cleaning 240 W Main Bell 2021

Wanted—Paper hanging rooms papered for $3 and paper furnished. A D Lynn 600 E Orchard Bell 2459

Wanted—Watch repair work of all kinds I buy old gold silver and platinum. W B Gray, 608 E Eldorado

If you want a good well, call F. H. Washburn, 1007 W Green Bell 4741

WANTED—All farmers to know that I will pay cash for all dead stock. Main Price, 604 North Monroe. Bell phone 4631, Auto 9024 0671

WANTED—Your watch repair work. We sell and repair American makes. DRAW the Watch Man 147 Merchant St. 6613

WANTED—TO RENT.

Wanted 2 unfurnished rooms, woman with 16 year old girl H-348, care Review

Wanted to Rent—1 sleeping room 1 living room, with private family, within 5 blocks of postoffice, no children Address H-341, Review

Wanted to Rent — Sept. 1, 6 to 8 room strictly modern apartment or house, west side G-499 care Review

Wanted to Rent — Large house or flat for rooming purposes. Bell 4083.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

For Rent 4 nice rooms upstairs modern except heat and bath rent cheap 1 fm pos 15 N Jasper Bell 181

For Rent Two modern sleeping rooms, 1 block from P O 611 W North

For Rent 2 nice cool rooms for sleeping or light housekeeping every convenience Phone 4072 900 S Prairie

For Rent Modern furnished rooms 305 W Eldorado Phone 2504

For Rent 4 unfurnished rooms private home 612 W Decatur Bell 447

For Rent Sleeping rooms in modern house 4 S Main Bell 301

For Rent Furnished rooms modern Phone 1426 712 W William

For Rent Nice cool front room furnished 140 N Church Phone 2504

For Rent—Unfurnished 2nd floor front room with or without small adjoining room city heat modern conveniences 148 W Eldorado

For Rent Furnish 1 room modern cool, reasonable 712 W Main

For Rent Furnished modern rooms private home 853 W Main Bell 2782

For Rent — Newly decorated well furn. sleeping room hot water Bell 2772

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING.

For Rent — Nice cool modern furnished rooms privilege of light housekeeping 653 W Prairie

For Rent—Modern rooms for sleeping or light housekeeping 905 W Main

For Rent — for light housekeeping rooms large closets and private exit 120 S Calhoun

For Rent—2 furnished light housekeeping modern ground floor 145 N Morgan

FOR RENT—FLATS.

For Rent 5 room modern flat $15 month Val H Chronister Bell 109

For Rent 5 room flat all modern with gas range 917 N Water

For Rent—5 room flat in Duplex house, all modern, delightfully cool exposure on all sides city heat Apply A L Caldwell 914 W Decatur Phone 374

For Rent—Flat steam heated modern 145 N Water Bell 99 R C Augustine.

For Rent—Modern 6 room flat 1st floor 1 block from P O Inquire 1st floor rear 1 block from P O

For Rent—Thoroughly modern 8 room house on two car lines close in large corner lot 440 W Marietta St Call 321

For Rent—6 room cottage gas and electric lights 1278 S Illinois

FOR RENT.

For Rent The May store building now occupied by Dishing rooms two lots fenced corner Harrison and Graceland Ave Good location for grocery much needed Apply J B Greenwood 2224 Graceland Ave R R 2

For Rent—store room 20x100 144 S Main. Inquire 140 E Wood

For Rent—Stores—$16 and $19. 231 and 241 E. Eldorado.

For Rent—Store rooms 200 block E. Eldorado $16 up Dayton 2-0 1 Eldorado

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

For Sale Bluegrass 1 yr in stock, cut Saturday In on Co Hospital

For Sale—Fine home grown red onions any quantities at garden Call 2224 Graceland Ave

For Sale—counters and shelving G A Kennes phone 937

For Sale—Small cider mill nearly new, excellent condition Bell 1052

NATURAL ICE

For sale at Lovington Coal office East Main and Broadway

MUSICAL GOODS.

For Sale—We are closing out the entire stock of the Haines & Schaff Piano Co. at 68 cents on the dollar. 12 makes to select from Easy payments. Your opportunity Suffern & Sons, 147 North Water

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK.

For Sale Mare bargain pony surrey and harness Leon Shine Bldg Bell 21 or 20

For Sale 20 pigs from 10 to 75 lbs H L Hillebrand 1 mile S St Louis Pike R 4 P O

For Sale Gentle horse cheap 1912 Ford radio Bell 1579

For Sale Team horses cheap 1911 Ford phone 1057 ring 12

For Sale Jersey cow fresh in 10 days phone 1057 south of Nelson park

For Sale Horse cheap Call Chas. W Moffitt 2 cents to ring 2

For Sale—Good driving mare cheap We are closing out the entire stock of the Haines & Schaff Piano Co. at very low figures Your opportunity to buy terms. Suffern & Sons, 147 N Water

BIRDS, DOGS AND PETS.

For Sale Canary birds Mrs I Finch Sadorus Ill

AUTOMOBILES AND BICYCLES.

For Sale Ford 1916 touring 5 tires and rims in A 1 shape Bell 1455 Folk

For Sale Ford 1915 touring in fine shape 5 good tires Bell 1455 Folk

For Sale Ford touring car 1916 model in good condition Call 1057 ring 12

For Sale 1916 Ford touring car in good condition Bell 1455 Folk

For Sale—Ford 1916 touring car in A 1 condition Call 1057 ring 12

For Sale 1916 Ford touring car in good condition Bell 1455 Folk

For Sale—Ford 1916 touring car in A 1 condition Call 1057 ring 12

For Sale—8 h.p. Harley-Davidson motorcycle, new enamel good condition sandcure attachment $65 E C Gray, 2506 E. Wabash Ave.

For Sale—Several used cars at bargain Prices R. E. Barron 214 N. Franklin

For Sale—1914 Ford Roadster Decatur Auto Exchange 121 N Church

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New Maxwell Automobile FOR SALE

This car has been used only a short time while other car was being repaired Car is in perfect condition If interested call phone 150 or in person, 224 South Park street

Used Cars Wanted

You can get cash for your late model used cars, at the Decatur Auto Exchange, 121 N. Church St. They must be in good conditon. 1681

FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS.

For Sale Vacant lot 2620 E Eldorado. Bell 8

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

For Sale Eight room house vacant lots very best 140 N Main

For Sale Two cottages one of 4 rooms and one of 5 rooms at the corner of North Edison and Cerro Gordo streets Call for Mr W F Mason at the H Mueller Mf Company

For Sale 85 owner 5 room modern cottage good repair west end Also 2 lots in Lafayette Ind will trade for Decatur Address F 103, Review

For Sale A very cheap 6 room mod house good location 1-2 E Main St Low price $1,000 Call August Hackert, Loving Ins Co D

House for Sale 10 room, big barrain 1400 N Edward modern, will sell cheap Cash or easy payment Hot water heat Phone 2108

For Sale—Good 5 room cottage clean, east terms 944 W King

For Sale Cheap—Cash or installment real bargains 7 room modern house electric light 1 city furnace heat, near Millikin university, 1240 W Macon 8 room house, good location 1226 N Water 5 room cottage near downtown, 744 S Franklin G 95, care Review

For Sale—8 room house 2 lots, fruit and garden 2074 E William

For Sale—6 room almost new, modern bungalow, 124 Dennis, Oakdale addition terms no agents Bell 4 30

For Sale—6 room partly modern house, full corner lot close in Bargain Bell 4450 1040 N Warren

For Sale Cheap—Very cheap 6 room mod house good location 1218 E William St new price $2,600 Call August Hackert, Loving Ins Co D

For Sale—Beautiful suburban home, 2 mi W of city 5 acres partly modern Inquire Mrs D L 2 mi S St Louis Bridge R 1 Box B

FOR SALE—SUBURBAN.

For Sale—Beautiful suburban home, 2 mi W of city 5 acres partly modern Inquire Mrs D L 2 mi S St Louis Bridge R 1 Box B

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

For Sale—Light housekeeping furniture gas plate dishes, cooking utensils Iron clothes reel 445 N Franklin Bell 4001

For Sale North Star refrigerator very cheap Call 1155 Clay

For Sale—Splendid water power machine We secured the entire stock of the Haines & Schaff Piano Co very cheap and we are closing it out at 68 cents on the dollar Upright pianos $60 and up 12 standard makes Easy terms Your opportunity Suffern & Sons 147 N. Water

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1. DESCRIPTION: West half of the west half of the northeast quarter of Section 24, Township 16 North, Range 1 East of the 3rd P. M.

2. LOCATION: 4½ miles west and ½ mile south of Decatur; near Springfield road. State road almost to the gate.

3 IMPROVEMENTS: Four-room house, 28x38; new barn, 20x30; vehicle shed, 20x12; crib, 20x8, hog shed, 8x14, chicken shed, 24x10. Woven wire fence on 3½ sides; also woven wire divison fences

4 POSSESSION: Given March 1, 1918.

5 TERMS: Sale at public auction to the highest bidder, 10% of bid on sale day balance on delivery of deed

6 DATE. Sale at front door of Court House at 2 P. M. on Saturday, August 4, 1917. Charles S. Troutman, Auctioneer

This place is well adapted for alfalfa, dairying, poultry and stock raising Abstract of title may be seen at office of undersigned. Known as the Sam Cherry Farm, fine location and rare opportunity to purchase a good place

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Fall Sowing Starts Soon. Value of Inoculation Recognized.

Farmers are beginning to buy alfalfa seed for the fall sowing Not a great amount is sown in central Illinois but it is believed that with the greater success that the knowledge of the nature of the plant will give more acreage will be given up to this amazing forage plant

Two farmers were seen buying alfalfa seed Thursday and they took with them the inoculating fluid which was furnished with each bushel of seed by the seed men

Ten years ago inoculation of the ground or of the seed would have been looked down as 'hook farming but the proved necessity of the inoculation of either the ground or the seed has impressed the farmer with the value of some kind of scientific ideas in seeding

A small two ounce bottle of the inoculating fluid went with each sixty pounds of the seed

Executor's Sale of Real Estate. 5-Acre Suburban Home, 3 Houses and Lots, One Vacant Lot at

PUBLIC SALE

Aug. 15, 1917 at 2 p. m.

Sale of all the property will be conducted at the residence on the 5-acre tract located at 1060 W. Marietta St., Decatur, Ill.

Lot 5 of the west half of the southwest quarter of section 10, township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P. M, being 5-acre tract located at 1060 West Marietta street, 9-room house, full basement, furnace, barn fruit trees, berries, etc.

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Lot 4 in G W Handy's addition of out lots to city of Decatur 7-room cottage, well, cistern, electric lights furnace, cemented basement, gas for cooking No 1731 North Church street.

Lot 5, G W Handy's addition of out lots to City of Decatur Vacant lot 1900 block North Church, first lot south of above

Lot 20, block 2 North Side Park addition to city of Decatur 5-room brick cottage, cistern city water, gas for cooking Newly painted, papered etc No. 1726 North Morgan street

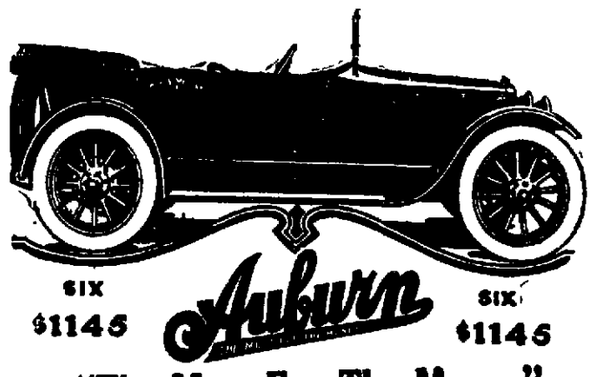
Lot 27, block 2, North Side Park addition to city of Decatur 8-room house, city water gas electric lights Newly painted and papered, good state of repair No 1844 North Broadway

TERMS—10 per cent cash sale day, balance upon approval of sale Abstracts of title may be seen at office of John W Evans.

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NATION NEEDS ITS CRUDE OIL

Washington Aug — The enormous war program will make such a demand for crude oil and its derivatives that the defense council expects the supply to run short Estimated by the navy indicates that the total shortage may amount to more than 1,000,000 barrel Production is expected to decrease immediately from 300,000 barrels unless the navy reserves are tapped or unless the output of the Mexican field is increased

The defense council probably will urge upon the country the strictest conservation of oil even if the output is increased by resorting to the reserves

SWISS GOVERNMENT SEIZES ALL CEREALS

Berne, Aug — The Swiss government has issued an order sequestrating the entire cereal crops with the exception of the quantities required for the personal consumption of the producers and for seed purposes

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HIGH PRAISE FOR JOHN ALLEN'S WORK

Decatur Exemption Board Leaders in State.

EFFICIENCY IS SHOWN

Records of Every Man Will Be Retained.

That the Decatur and Macon county exemption boards are further ahead in their work than any other boards in the state outside the city of Chicago, was established Friday. In Bloomington, Springfield, Peoria and other cities, the first lists of men called for examination are just being sent out. In Decatur, the first were sent out nearly a week ago.

Efficiency of the Decatur and Macon county boards is responsible The members of these boards are giving their time to their country free of charge. They worked all day Thursday and until nearly 10 o'clock Thursday night and were dog-tired, but they felt that their task was well done.

PRAISES JOHN ALLEN.

"I want to say something in commendation of the fine work of Circuit Clerk John Allen," said Attorney C. A. Ewing of the Decatur exemption board Thursday evening. "His ability to handle detail work and keep everything straight is responsible for the progress we have made."

Mr. Ewing pointed out that the Decatur board is keeping all the records of every man called before them in an envelope file. Thus, when the work is completed, if any information is desired regarding any particular man, it can be secured at once. Men who were mailed first notices and whose time to ask exemption expires Saturday are urged to report Saturday or they may be penalized

Although hundreds of inquiries have been answered, no unsolvable questions have yet been received. But they are being received in other cities

WIDOW HAS FOUR SONS.

Here are a few typical cases

A widow has four sons, all registered, all single, all living at home, all working at hard labor, and all contributing to the maintenance of the home. The law says that a man supporting a widowed mother shall be exempt. The question now is whether any of these four sons shall be sent to war, and if not all of them are required to support their mother, which one or ones of the four should be passed on to the service and which one or ones should be kept at home to take care of her and keep up the little home.

A young man recently married a stenographer. He earns a small wage. They decided to buy a little home. She thought it the proper idea for her to continue working at the typewriter for a couple of years to help him make the payments on the home. She makes almost as much as the young husband, and could support herself on her own salary. The law says a married man who is supporting a wife is exempt. She could get along alone, financially, but exemption boards are inclined to the belief that exemptions should be granted in such cases.

RESPONSIBILITY IS ISSUE.

"It is the legal responsibility and liability—the property responsibility—that should govern in such cases" said a Chicago exemption board member "The young wife has a legal right to the support that her husband can furnish. It is not a question of whether she could get along without him by working herself. If he should go to war and she should lose her position or become ill and could not work, then an injury would be done in such a case. The places of all such young husbands as this one is at home—for the present at least. That is my judgment."

The law limits dependent relatives to wives, fathers, and mothers and minor children.

25 ADDITIONS AT RIVERSIDE CHURCH

Interest Shown in Tent Meeting Conducted by Mr. Fox.

Thursday evening the crowd at the tent meeting, conducted by Rev. Irving Fox of the Riverside Baptist church, was the largest of the week. Great interest is being shown and in one week there have been twenty-five additions to the church, the last one being added Thursday evening. Tonight the sermon by the pastor will be "The Offense of the Cross" and the Saturday night service will probably be held in Central park.

BEAUMANOIR BAND PLANS CONCERTS

Will Appear in Many Nearby Towns.

1ST AT WARRENSBURG

Two Dates at Pana Chautauqua Arranged.

Arrangements have been made by the management of the Beaumanoir band of Decatur for a number of concerts in nearby towns during the months of August and September. The Beaumanoir band is composed of forty-five pieces, under the direction of A. W. Shade. It has been in existence for about two years and plays some exceptionally fine music.

AT WARRENSBURG.

On Aug. 10 the band will play its first concert at Warrensburg. It will be a "community concert," and a general invitation has been extended to everybody from far and near to attend.

The band will also appear at the Pana chautauqua on Sunday, Aug 12, and Sunday, Aug. 19. It will also give another community concert at Bethany on Wednesday, Aug. 15. Concerts are also to be given in the near future at Assumption and Cerro Gordo, but definite dates have not yet been set.

NOT IN COMPETITION.

The Beaumanoir band is not in competition with other Decatur bands for dates. It is a fine musical organizations, and fills concert dates whenever it can. It does not seek dates that can be filled by other Decatur bands.

SECOND MAN IN DRAFT MARRIED

Blue Mound Aug. 3.—Miss Cecile Dawson and Carl Bean, both of Blue Mound, were married Thursday afternoon by Rev. J. N. Van Natten, pastor of the Free Methodist church at Decatur. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dawson of Blue Mound and is a graduate of the Blue Mound high school. She has been prominent in the Red Cross work this year.

The groom is the second man in Macon county to be drafted into the national army and is a farmer. The couple will go to housekeeping immediately on a farm near here.

Local Notices.

Call Jones Messenger Service for reliable work. Phone 3366.

Special Meeting I. O. O. F. No. 66. Members of No. 65 and visiting Odd Fellows will meet at hall on North Main street., 2 p. m. Saturday to attend funeral of Brother Thomas Hoots.

I. E. BALL, N. G.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown during our recent bereavement, the loss of our father. Mrs. W. W. Rayer, Alonzo Ferre, Chas. Ferre.

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Shelbyville Chautauqua

The great Shelbyville Chautauqua, July 29 to Aug. 12, inclusive. "Taft Day," Friday, Aug. 3; "Bryan Day," Wednesday, Aug. 8. Write for program.

Franklyn Farnum in "The Clean Up" today and tomorrow at the Avon.



Mt. Pulaski, Aug. 3.—The roads to Mt. Pulaski are extra good and free from squirrels and lions. Only residents of other towns ever see things on the Mt. Pulaski road.

Special road reports from Blue Mound, Stonington, Lovington, Pana, Sullivan, Shelbyville, Tuscola, Mt. Pulaski and Marca, indicate that the roads are in fine condition with little dust.

DR. C. E. JENNEY AT THE HOSPITAL

Has Slight Case of Tonsilitis—Will Preach Sunday.

Dr. C. E. Jenney went to the Macon County hospital Wednesday evening suffering with a slight case of tonsilitis, but it is thought that he will be able to conduct the services at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday. At the morning service Dr. Jenney will preach on "The Heroism of Endurance." The evening service will be in the First Baptist church as a union service and Dr. Jenney will preach at that time on "Religious and National Impressions Received During a Vacation in Eighteen States."

BLUE MOUND MAN DIES IN WEST

Blue Mound, Aug. 3.—John Griffeth who resides east of town died Wednesday night at the Modern Woodman hospital at Denver, Colo.

Mr. Griffeth was suffering from consumption which he contracted a year ago. Accompanied by C. F. Crow he started for Denver Tuesday. Mr. Crow had intended accompanying him only as far as St. Louis, but his condition became worse and he decided to go all the way. The high altitude proved too much of a change for his weakened condition and as a result death came shortly after their arrival.

Mr. Griffith is survived by his wife and two children of this place. He had been in ill health for more than a year. The body is expected to arrive in Blue Mound Saturday. Pending the arrival of the body funeral arrangements have not been completed.

MILITARY BALLOON.

Considerable excitement was caused here Thursday evening when a military balloon passed over the town, headed for the northeast. There are several sets of wild theories as to the presence of the balloon which was probably going to Champaign.

MANY MOULTRIE MEN WILL ASK EXEMPTION

Sullivan, Aug 3.—The Moultrie county exemption board believe that a number in this county will try to get exemption from service. The first of those notified to appear for examination commenced coming in Thursday afternoon to get blanks ready to make affidavits for exemption.

The first man to make his appearance was Oliver Armantrout of near Coles station. He was in the exemption office within three hours after he received his notice to appear next Monday for examination. He will claim exemption on the grounds of dependent family. Others came in later to get blanks.

The exemption board have all of their work up to date and are ready to start in Monday morning on the work of examining the drafted men and to pass on the exemptions. It is thought that all trying to get exemption will try it on the grounds of having dependents.

First Lieutenant John Eden Martin has appointed nine of the men in Company C corporals. Those appointed are Walter H. White, Frank Swisher, Bert Greeg, Hugh Brown, Stanley Crouch, Claude Pifer, Charles Moss, Henry Sallee and Harry Powell There are a few other appointive offices to be filled before the company has their full list of officers.

RED CROSS CAMPAIGN.

The Moultries county chapter of the Red Cross started their special campaign for new members Thursday evening. All of the church bells in the city rang at 6:30 p. m. and the whistles on the city electric light plant and the public service plant were blown. The two whistles blow for at least ten minutes The officers and helpers in this special campaign will put forth every effort in the next few days to bring the membership of this county up to its quota of 3194.

Dr. W. P. Davidson and Dr. O. M. Williamson will soon be in the army service Dr Davidson has already received notice to be ready to report by Aug. 15 and Dr. Williamson is looking for the same notice. Both physicians have been commissioned as first lieutenants in the medical corps

A patriotic meeting was held in connection with the band concert last night. Talks were made by Judge W A. Cochran, John E. Jennings and J L. McLaughlin

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church held their monthly meeting at the church Thursday afternoon The meeting was largely attended. Light refreshments were served

Silas D. Stocks of Mexico, Mo., was here Thursday.

Mrs. John Pifer was in Decatur Thursday.

B B. Burns returned to his home in Decatur Thursday after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burns.

Miss Lena Monroe, Mrs. Lucretia Pendro, W. B. Huff and County Clerk Cash W. Green, were in Decatur Friday.

E. S. Sterrett, general manager of the Home Telephone company, returned to his home in Henry Friday morning

ILLIOPOLIS WOODMEN PLAN ANNUAL PICNIC

Illiopolis, Aug. 3.—Preparations are being made for the annual picnic to be held by Illiopolis camp No. 285 Modern Woodmen of America, Thursday, Aug 30.

The following committees have been appointed by the executive committee.

Advertising and amusement—John H. Pickle, Sr., W. W. Havener and T. H. Munson.

Decorating—J. W. Perkins, J. G. Ingle and H. A. Redman.

Privileges—O. T. Myers and Clarence Munson

SARGENT METHODIST W. F. M. S. MEETING

At a meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society Thursday afternoon of the Sargent Methodist church, officers for the year were elected and reports made. The report on the Light Bearers was most interesting for although this department has just been organized, there are already ten members. The treasurers report showed a balance of $51. The mite box collection was $7.77 and the money received for special work was $20. The officers elected were:

President—Mrs. Charles Sutter.

Vice president—Mrs R. F. Sellers.

Secretary—Mrs. Henry Durben.

Treasurer—Mrs. O. G. Prather.

Mite Box secretary—Mrs. Herman Ray.

Corresponding secretary—Mrs. A. G. Sellers.

Superintendent Kings Heralds—Miss A. Morgan.

Superintendent Light Bearers—Mrs. Charles Sutter.

MONTICELLO.

Miss Anna Dilatush was a guest of Misses Minnie and Josephine Mansfield in Springfield and they accompanied her home. Today Miss Dilatush entertained at luncheon for them.

Miss Lois Evans left Thursday for Clear Lake, Ia., where she will be the guest of friends. She expects to be away about three weeks.

Robert Rentfro of Wichita, Kan., was here Wednesday. He is a former resident of this city.

Mrs. C. H. Wright and daughter, Helen, spent Tuesday in Decatur.

Mrs. J. W. Elsea returned to her home in Mattoon Wednesday after spending some time here with her brother, Dr. J. D. Knott. Mrs. Josephine Cline of Urbana remained for a longer stay.

Company I left Friday morning over the I. T. R. for Springfield for three weeks' encampment. A large crowd was at the station to see them off.

MARKETS

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

[Furnished by Ware & Leland.]

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
WHEAT—					
Sep.	225 @	230	225	227¼	231
CORN—					
Dec	118¾@118¼	118¾	117¾	117¾	117¾
May	116⅝@116	116⅝	115¼	115⅝	115⅝
OATS—					
Sep.	61 @ 60¾	61¼	60¼	60⅜	60⅜
Dec	61¼@ 61	61¾	60¼	60⅝	61
PORK—					
Sep.	4100@	4168	4100	4163	4110
LARD—					
Sep.	2162@ 2160	2197	2150	2195	2182
Oct.	2175@	2218	2162	2210	2167
RIBS—					
Sep.	2215@	2260	2215	2260	2229
Oct.	2210@	2245	2210	2245	2227

Market Gossip

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

Receipts—	Today.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	643,000	2,010,000
Corn	898,000	602,000
Oats	628,000	1,120,000
Shipments—		
Wheat	338,000	1,018,000
Corn	310,000	327,000
Oats	892,000	620,000

CHICAGO CARS

	Rets.	Cont.	Estd	Yr. Ago
Wheat	41	15	42	178
Corn	88	62	88	220
Oats	81	17	81	347

LONDON SILVER.

London, Aug. 3.—Bar silver 41d per ounce.

Money 4 per cent.

INSPECTED CARS.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Inspected cars Wheat, 84; corn, 88; oats, 105.

MODERN MILLER

Chicago, Aug. 3—Modern Miller today says

"A very small proportion of the wheat has been threshed in the soft winter wheat states, but indicated yields are good. Threshing is progressing slowly and stacking is more general than ever known before in those districts Movement is further delayed by car shortage and terminal accumulation is not in sight. Quality of wheat is good and grain is curing under favorable conditions. There is no improvement in the spring wheat prospects, but in Canada light scattered rains have been beneficial. There is a recent tendency to over estimate production."

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, Aug. 3.—Clover seed: Prime cash $11.90, October, $12.75, December, $12.30; March, $12 60.

Alsike: Prime cash, $12.10; September, $12.20, October, $12.20.

Timothy: Prime cash, $4.00, September, $4.10, October, $4.30

LIVE STOCK

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Aug. 3.—HOGS — Receipts 5,500 head; market 10 cents higher. Lights, $15.75@16.00; pigs, $10.75@13.00; mixed, and butchers, $15.00@16.10; good heavy $16.05@16.15, bulk of sales $16.00@16.05

CATTLE — Receipts 1,000 head; market steady. Native beef steers, $7.50@13.50, prime yearling steers and heifers, $7.50@10.00; native cows, $6.00@12.00.

SHEEP — Receipts 1,200 head; market steady. Lambs, $10.00@13.85, ewes, $8.00@9.50, canners, $3.00@4.50, choppers, $8.00@8.60.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 3.—HOGS — Receipts 7,500 head; market 5 to 10 cents higher. Bulk of sales, $15.00@16.05, heavy, $15.75@16.20, pickers and butchers, $15.80@16.05, light, $14.90@15.90, pigs, $9.00@13.25.

CATTLE — Receipts 2,000 head, including 400 head southern; market steady. Prime fed steers $17.00@13.75, stockers and feeders $6.00@10.70, bulls, $6.00@7.50, calves, $6.50@11.00.

SHEEP — Receipts 1,400 head; market steady. Lambs, $13.00@14.25, yearlings, $9.50@11.00, wethers, $8.50@10.00; ewes $8.00@9.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Eastern shippers and small local packers competed actively today and forced hog prices higher. Good grades of cattle were steady, but others weak. Falling off in receipts helped a little to steady the sheep market.

HOGS — Receipts 16,000 head; estimated receipts for Saturday, 1 000 head; market strong, 5 to 10 cents above yesterday's average. Bulk of sales, $15.20@16.25; light, $14.50@16.20, mixed, $14.65@16.35; heavy, $15.40@16.40; rough, $14.60@14.80; pigs, $11.50@14.25.

CATTLE — Receipts 3,000 head, estimated receipts for Saturday, 1 000 head; market unsettled. Native beef cattle, $7.30@14.60, western steers, $8.15@11.40; stockers and feeders, $5.75@9.00; cows and heifers, $4.30@11.60, calves, $8.50@13.00.

SHEEP — Receipts 5,000 head; estimated receipts for Saturday, 3,000 head; market firm. Wethers, $7.50@10.65; lambs, $9.50@14.50.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Indianapolis, Aug. 3.—Hog receipts 7,500 head; market 10 cents lower. Bulk of sales, $16.00; top price, $16.20. Cattle receipts 500 head; market steady.

Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, Aug. 3.—Bower & Hower report hog receipts 1,100 head; market higher. Mixed and mediums, $16 15@16 20, yorkers, $16 10@16.40; calves, $15.00@15.50; lambs, $14.50@15.00; cattle, $5.50@11.50.

GRAIN

Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, Aug. 3.—CORN — Market 2 cents higher. No. 2 yellow, $2.33@2.33½; No. 5 yellow, $2.32½; No. 6 yellow, $2.32; No. 3 mixed. $2.33½; No. 5 mixed, $2.33.

OATS—Market 2 cents higher. No. 3 white, 76c.

St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, Aug. 3.—WHEAT—No. 1 red, $2.60@2.63; No. 2 red, $2.55@2.60; No. 3 red, $2.55@2.56; No. 5 red, $2.50@2.55; No. 3 hard, $2.67½.

CORN—No. 2, $2.35½; No. 2 yellow, $2.32@2.32½; No. 2 white, $2.37; sample white, $2.31½.

OATS—No. 2 white, 77½c; standard, 77@77½c; No. 3 white, 77@77½c; No. 4 white, 74½c; No. 2, 72@73c, No. 3, 73@73½c.

RYE—No. 2, $2.10.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—WHEAT — No. 2 red, $2 55; No. 3 red, $2.50; No. 2 hard, nominal; No. 3 hard, $2.55@2.65.

CORN — No. 2 yellow, $2.35¼@2.36¼; No. 3 yellow, $2.35¼@2.36, No. 4 yellow, $2.35.

OATS—No. 3 white, 81@84¼c; standard, nominal.

RYE—No. 2 $1.10@1 12.

BARLEY—$1 30@1.80.

TIMOTHY—$4.00@7.50.

CLOVER—$12.00@17.00.

PORK—$41.85.

LARD—$21 75@21 85.

RIBS—$22.25@22.75.

PRODUCE

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—BUTTER — Market higher. Creamery, 35½@38½.

EGGS — Receipts 9,848 cases; market unchanged.

POTATOES—Market higher. Receipts 20 cars. Virginia, barrels, $3.00@5.50; home grown, $1 00@1.05.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry unsettled. Fowls, 18½@18½c; springs, 19@23c.

New York Produce.

New York, Aug. 3.—BUTTER — Market steady. Receipts 15,802 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 40¼@41c; creamery extras, 92 score 40c; firsts, 39@39½c, seconds 37¼@38¼c.

EGGS — Market irregular. Receipts 9,634 cases. Fresh gathered extras, 39@40; extra firsts, 37@38c; firsts, 34@36c; seconds, 30@33c.

CHEESE — Market firm. Receipts 2,700 boxes. State, fresh specials, 22@22½c; do, average fancy, 21½@22c.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry uncertain, no prices quoted.

Dressed poultry quiet, prices unchanged.

New York Sugar.

New York, Aug. 3.—SUGAR — Market for raw sugar strong. Centrifugal $7.14; molasses, 10.20. Market for refined sugar firm

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Aug 3.—WHEAT—September, $2.23.

Cash wheat No. 1 northern, $2.05@2.09, No. 2 northern, $2.00@2.03, No. 3 northern $2.80@2.90.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, $2.26@2 27

OATS—No. 3 white, 70@75c.

FLAX—$3.31@3.36

DECATUR MARKETS.

These prices are offered farmers:

Decatur dealers are offered the following prices for grain:

Wheat	$2.30
Corn- Yellow	2.20
White and mixed	2.19
Oats	.62
Rye	1.25

Butter and Eggs.

Quoted by Max Allaso.

Eggs	.29
Butter, packing	.30

Poultry.

(Quotations to producers by Max Allaso.)

Hens, 4½ lbs and over	.16
Hens, mediums	.16
Springs	.30
Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs	.17½
Cocks	.11
Stags	.14
Old toms	.20
Young Turkeys, 9 lbs and over	.22
Geese	.10
Ducks, young	.12
Live pigeons, per doz	.60

Live Stock.

Quoted daily by G. J. Danzeisen & Son's

Heavy cows	$14.00@$14.50
Hogs, 150-175 lbs	14.00@ 14.25
Choice young hogs, 200 lbs	14.75@ .....
Choice young hogs, 280 lbs	15.25@ .....
Shipping steers	8.00@ 9.00
Butcher steers	8.00@ 8.50
Choice cows	6.00@ 6.50
Medium cows	5.00@ 5.50
Bulls	5.50@ 7.00
Choice heifers	7.50@ 8.50
Heifers, medium	6.00@ 7.00
Sheep	6.00@ 8.00
Sheep	6.00@ 8.00
Spring lambs	10.00@ 11.50
Yearling lambs	10.00@ 11.00
Veal calves	7.00@ 9.50

Hides and Wool.

Horse hides, large	6.50@ 7.50
Horse hides, small	4.00@ 6.00
Sheep pelts	.80@ 2.50
Green beef hides	.17@ ....
Cured hides	.16@ .20
Lamb pelts	.25@ .80
Medium wool	.56@ .60
Western wool	.35@ .48
Burry wool	.30@ .42

WHEAT DROPS, CORN UNSETTLED

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Much uneasiness showed itself today on the part of shorts in corn, owing to the fact that with two holidays ahead, no relief was in sight from the continued lack of rain from the scantiness of receipts. Cooler temperatures, however, led to some selling when the market had scored rather decided gains. Trade in the aggregate was light, and prices were easily influenced. Opening quotations, which ranged from ⅝ cent to 1 cent higher, with December at $1.18¼@⅛ to $1.18⅛ and May at $1.15 to $1.16⅝, were followed by slight further upturns, and then a moderate reaction.

Subsequently, optimistic reports concerning the Illinois crop acted in favor of the bears, and so also, did some renewal of peace gossip. The close was unsettled at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅛ cent lower, with December $1.17⅝ to $1.17⅞ and May at $1.15⅛ to $1.15⅝.

WHEAT.

Wheat displayed a tendancy to drop back from yesterday's sudden steep advance of 13 cents. After opening six cents down at $2.25 September, the market rallied to $2.30, but soon sagged to $2.23.

Big threshing returns had a weakening effect on oats. Initial firmness, due to sympathy with corn failed to last.

In later dealings, the market was eased further by assertions that farmers were evincing more disposition to sell, and that as yet millers were not taking hold freely. Besides, some reports as to the spring crop outlook were not hopeful than had been the case of late. The close was steady at 3¼ cents net decline with September at $2.27½.

Provisions advanced readily on scattered buying. Shipments of cured and fresh meats for the day were in excess of the total a year ago, and Liverpool advices were also favorable to holders.

CATTLE DISEASE HITS KANE COUNTY

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Anthrax, a cattle disease, communicable to humans, has been discovered in the dairy cattle about the towns of Burlington and Hampshire in Kane county, Ill., according to a warning issued last night by John Dill Robertson, health commissioner.

GATHERING RECRUITS AT TAYLORVILLE

Corporal Crisp of Recruiting Office to Spend Three Days.

Corporal Crisp of the local recruiting office went to Taylorville Friday morning to spend three days gathering in recruits.

FELLOWSHIP SOCIAL AT THE FIRST U. B.

A fellowship social is to be given at the First United Brethren church tonight at 7:45. Following the program a social hour will be enjoyed. The program will be given by Miss Lillian Lucas, who will read, an entertainment by Alex Van Praag, and music by a male quartet and Robert Gibson. Mr. Gibson's accompaniments will be played on the violin by Dr Oscar Van Hall.

MICHAELIS MEETS AUSTRIAN EMPEROR

London, Aug. 3.—Emperor Charles of Austria received in audience Dr. Michaelis, the German imperial chancellor, on Thursday, says a dispatch from Amsterdam to the Central News Agency.

GRENADE EXPLODES; AMERICAN HURT

AMERICAN TRAINING CAMP IN FRANCE, Aug. 3.—An American interpreter and a lieutenant were slightly wounded and a French instructor was bruised when a live grenade fell near a box of grenades during practice.

COOLEST SPOT IN TOWN

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Harold Lockwood

in 'The Secret Spring'

ADMISSION 10c CHILDREN 5c

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The famous manager of the New York Giants Baseball Club.

A fascinating romance interwoven with the national game of baseball. There is more romance than baseball in the story, however.

EXTRA!

RUTH ROLAND in the 5th Episode of "THE NEGLECTED WIFE."

ALSO TRAVELOGUES

Coming Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

PATHE NEWS

The British Government's Wonderful War Film

"The Tanks at the Battle of the Ancre."

Also a funny comedy-burlesque

"The House of Terrible Scandals."

the same being a travesty on the famous book, "THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES."

4 SHOWS DAILY 2, 3:30, 7:15, 9 p. m. 4 | 5c ADMISSION Mezzanine 15c 10c

STRAND



Something to make you sit up and take notice---(A KNOCKOUT / SOMETHING SPICY)

A very remarkable display of the latest fashions in gowns forms one of the brilliant features in this production. Miss Gordon wears a different gown for each scene.

"You have brought shame and disgrace upon my home. Leave here and never let me see you again!"

Henry Nicholson raged at his daughter. But there came a time when Juliette proved herself to be all that a woman should be and she proved it although it cost her dearly. The story is splendidly told in "THE BELOVED ADVENTURESS," the newest World-Picture Brady-Made in which Kitty Gordon, the internationally famous beauty, is the star.

William A. Brady, himself, personally directed the big scenes in the newest World-Picture Brady-Made, "THE BELOVED ADVENTURESS." And because of his direction these scenes have more "punch" and get-up-and-go to them than anything seen on the screen in a long time. They grip the heart strings and hold the spectators breathless. Mr. Brady has put into these scenes all the dramatic force and intensity which has made his stage plays such wonderful successes.

Today and Tomorrow

THE BELOVED A-D-V-E-N-T-U-R-E-S-S

SHOWS—2:00, 3:30, 7:15, 8:45 ADMISSION—CHILDREN, 5c; ADULTS, 10c.

BAZLEY'S CASH MARKET

118 E. William St. Phone 4644

We will sell Saturday from 7:00 a. m. until 4:00 p. m.

Fresh Lean Beef Boil, at per pound 7c

This is the same quality of meat that will cost you 15c to 18c elsewhere. It will pay you to be here Saturday. Some big specials.

CHOICE NATIVE VEAL ROAST, PER POUND 15c

(Retailers Barred.)

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

FANCY FAT DRESSED CHICKENS, PER POUND 25c

Choice Tender Beef Roast	12c	Choice Loin Pork Chops	23c	Best Sugar Cured Bacon	33c
Fresh Tender Beef Boil	8c	Choice Loin Pork Roast	22c	Choice Salt Pork	22c
Choice Tender Beef Steak	15c	Fresh Boneless Pork Butts	23c	Sugar Cured Corned Beef	14c
Choice Sirloin Steak	15c	Fresh Pork Steak	23c	Best Compound Lard	18c
Choice Round Steak	19c	Fresh Spare Ribs	12c	Tip Top Butterine, 2 lbs. for	57c
Fresh Hamburg Steak	15c	Short Spare Ribs	6½c	Hudson Butterine, 2 lbs. for	58c
Fresh Sliced Liver	8c	Fresh Pork Sausage, 2 lbs. for	35c	Derby Butterine, 2 lbs. for	55c
Native Veal Roast	15½c	Sugar Cured Hams, cala style	20c	Armour's Butterine, 2 lbs. for	54c
Native Veal Chops	16c	Sugar Cured Regular Hams	25c	High Grade German Salmami	28c
Fresh Veal Stew	14c	Smoked Holland Bacon	25c	Smoked Sausage and Bologna, 2 lbs. for	35c

2 cans Gray Fish 25c
1 can Tomatoes 15c
2 cans Peaches 27c
2 cans Pork and Beans 27c
2 large Cans Pears 35c
3 Packages Macaroni 25c
3 Packages Spaghetti 25c
2 cans Karo Syrup 27c

TRY A POUND OF BAZLEY'S TOP NOTCH COFFEE 25c

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INTERESTING SCENES AT COURT HOUSE

Mothers With Babies Seek Exemption of Husbands from Military Service — Prominent Young Men Qualify.

"Put your arms over your head."
"Now cough."
"Jump up and down."
"Close one eye and see these letters."
"Stop one ear and listen."
"Now climb on the scales."

Hundreds of young Decatur men are now getting one of the most rigid examinations they ever had in their lives. The doctors on the exemption boards are picking only the best. Out of a total of 131 men examined Thursday, only eighty-two qualified as fit for army service.

NEED FIRST 1,000

It is the belief of the exemption boards that fully 1,000 men will be needed to fill Decatur's quota of 182 men and about 1,000 or more to fill the county quota of 176.

CURTIS QUALIFIES.

Although Jack Powers and one or two other well-known young men were disqualified because they were a few pounds under weight, some well-known and prominent young men qualified for the quota. Among them were Herbert Hessler, son of Dean J. C. Hessler of the I. M. U., and Burton T. Curtis, son of Frank Curtis of the Curtis Jewelry company.

MANY WOMEN AND BABIES

There is something doing every minute in the third floor of the court house. Indeed, there are so many things going on all of the time that the proceedings are hard to follow. There were more women and babies there today. One can read about all of his acquaintances, besides a large number of people that he never knew before were in existence. Now and then one sees a woman in tears weeping, but most of them are self-reliant composed.

See that little woman with a baby in her arms? Send a man from an outside town in the county, sign fyouse a woman to whom he had just spoken. Well, she has lost twenty pounds in the last two or three weeks from sheer worry." She was thin and her face was drawn. The man who knew her said that she was quite plump when the news that her husband had been drafted came. She had been standing for a long time and one of the group that had been talking to her in sympathy showed her to a vacant chair in the main office.

"How long has she been obliged to worry?" solicitously inquired a young matron who is acquiring plumpness with disagreeable rapidity.

SON HER SUPPORT.

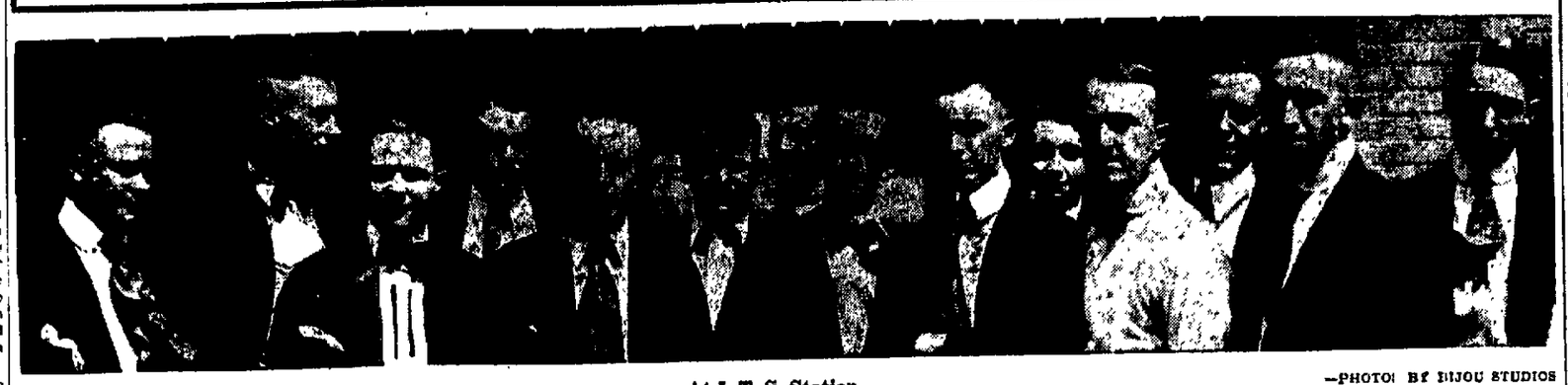
A woman appeared before the board to make affidavit that her son is her sole support, Attorney Lawrence Wheat preparing the affidavit for her. This woman had to wait till the affidavit of a woman that preceded her was completed, and some of the questions that were asked the first one got on the nerves of the waiting woman. "I want you to understand that my son has not always been my sole support," she said. The questions showed that she was the owner of considerable property and the indications are that she is the main support of her son.

McCULLOUGH HELPING.

The exemption board people say that the machinery is working much more smoothly than it worked the first day. The work has been organized and systematized so that everybody assisting knows just what he has to do. All of the affidavit work is handled by lawyers and a dozen or more lawyers are helping in one way or another.

Senator William J. McCullough is on the job all of the time. "I helped get these fellows into this," he says, "and I'll have to help them out." Other lawyers who are helping are Attorneys Walter Mills, Fannie Bivans, F. B. Wiley, Tom Samuels, E. B. Weirman, George Hilligoss, Bob Gray, Howard Helmick, Lawrence Wheat, Byron Merris and Attorney Miller.

DECATUR SAILORS LEAVE FOR BATTLESHIPS



At I. T. S. Station. —PHOTO BY BIJOU STUDIOS

From left to right—Frank C. Myer, Jr., Percy Williamson, Leonard Johnson, Ray Wright, Wilbur Peck, Lynn Mooney, Poyntelle Downing Frank Muleady, John Crinigan Bernard P. Witt, Merle Wehmhoff, Edward A. Hayes, William Foran, Norman Hunt.

MORE YOUNG MEN ORDERED TO REPORT

The Review today publishes the list of young Decatur men who must report for examination on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. The names in order of drawing from 450 to 468 were published last Sunday. All men from 450 to 500 will report at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

Following is a schedule of how the others report:

501 to 550—1 p. m. Monday.
551 to 600—7 p. m. Monday.
601 to 650—9 a. m. Tuesday.
651 to 700—1 p. m. Tuesday.
701 to 750—7 p. m. Tuesday.
751 to 800—9 a. m. Wednesday.
801 to 850—1 p. m. Wednesday.
851 to 900—7 p. m. Wednesday

The list follows:

468 TO 500

Ser. No
1595—William H. Broadbear.
2184—Dade O. Watson.
1355—Thomas Kennett.
103—John Brezovoski
2196—Ben Bor.
2752—John M. Bean.
1585—Samuel Vest.
1912—John Serak.
1221—Virgil R. Stollard.
1102—Julius M. Greenberg.
1625—Henry G. Schuman.
556—James V. Wilson.
1565—Bernard F. Clear.
2109—Ralph C. Varner.
151—Grover Barrett.
1281—Frank J. Fleckenstein.
51—Roy C. Fraley.
717—William O. Green.
1057—John H. Cowen.
1256—Bert H. Hubble.
1073—Kenneth W. Montgomery.
30—Asahel D. Beckworth.
3048—Clarence A. Sowers.
190—Adelbert H Coover.
388—John H. Smithers.
1423—Earl W. Pease.
2458—Clarence O. Branson.
1718—George Lucas.
773—Idale R. Brown.
3360—Cass Blakeney.
608—Edgar E. Fritz.
3256—Benjamin F. Knapp
406—Thomas S. Saltz.

501 TO 550.

2502—Leo F. Hall.
1730—Albert J. Prell.
25—August W. Cleesen
392—George L. Bunch.
3369—Sylvanus Allen.
2081—John Rozanski.
2231—Henry Laskowski.
889—Carl R. Walmsley.
383—Robt. L. Ward.
1166—Lorenzo C. Cloyd.
1712—Dilbert A. Sternberg.
2186—Sam Ottis Coleman.
588—Elmer Hunter.
3099—Wilbur S. Turpin.
2791—Thomas E. Dillehunt.
856—Frederick Roscoe Myers.
705—Arthur Wykoff.
1246—Arthur J. Sloan.
3219—McClelland J. Pierce.
2835—Chas. E. Brown.
2263—Edward C. Hudgins.
2053—Roy E. Woolens.
2051—Henry Goller.
1957—Fred W. Kropla.
3107—James W. Naidels.
576—Thomas H. McKey.
2025—Elmer E. Keiser.
2566—Roy F. Saint.
2922—Charles O. Atchison.
944—Elmer L. Rose.
1466—William Bauch.
3247—Ora E. Turner.
2937—Walter C. Hess.
1808—Arthur F. Waddell.
1943—Adam Radzanowski.
3199—Wiley G. Bowman.
1677—James A. Cooper.
2911—Leo F. Hayes.
2706—Raymond S. Wright.
122—Earl Knowles.
1783—John T. Brown.
642—Robert L. Burns.
939—James S. McGuire.
1639—Linn E. Rambo.
223—John F. Parker.
2364—Joseph S. Russell.
3216—Leonard A. Pryor.
1715—Nick Lucas.
906—Carl A. Metz.

551 TO 600.

1337—Henry C. Tauber.
2226—Frank J. McKinney.
700—Carl R. Russell.
1250—Max Zeistker.
1195—Roy Green.
3238—Ren J. Trimmer.
2406—William H. Reynolds.
297—Raymond K. Heft.
321—Carl J. Meacham.
736—Cyril M. Cobb.
2094—Dwight E. Trimble.
1628—Edward F. Quintens.
2611—George H. Sterns.
3042—Victor G. Longbons.
2353—Harry M. Leech.
707—Waldo R. McAmis.
2559—Henry Michling.
3279—Tony Scardillo.
3025—Chester Thatcher.
1425—Wendell Cross.
1002—Clarence J. Foster.
2987—Gustaf F. Carlson.
1151—John A. Fulwider.
1101—Leonard T. Lindquist.
368—Homer Williams.
974—Joseph R. Swisher.
1698—Eugene A. Stern.
320—Esvah Biller.
950Robert G. Williams.
3182—Henry H. Smith.
3179—Leo A. Horrell.
926—Alfred M. Altizer.
1016—Rufus M. Orr.
3837—William M. German.
1857—Roll C. Oglesby.
819—Arnold A. Mayer.
656—Calvin E. Sutherd.
1919—Frank A. Salogga.
2476—Martin J. White.
1338—Frank Yaegel.
2405—Charles W. Marriott.
814Harry M. Jones.
1175—Foster P. Anderson.
1076—Cadet Goodwin.

751 TO 800.

1634—Robert R. Lowry.
958—Lewis N. Fisher.
323—James W. Young.
1343—Rudolph Wagner.
2444—Roland W. Lahners.
2491—Ernest C. Dickson.
1438—John H. Kruse.
1804—William L. Adams.
857—Louis Rupert.
2950—Leonard B. Pitts.
1554—Frank F. Croney.
1401—Leslie C. Price
2677—Roy M. Robbins.
1303—Fred Rentschler.
2151—Wilhelm F. Luka.
863—Verne D. Sleeter.
438—Joseph L. Fitzpatrick.
878—Raymond Kurtz.
1059—Lawrence Moffett.
441—Joseph D. May.
880—Adolph W. Young.
1776—Fred W. Hall.
3144—Edward C. Drobisch.
3102—Edward H. Allen.
357—Marry W. Moon.
23—Alva T. Hornbuckle.
1173—Walter Maxwell.
331—A. R. Fehlber
1881—Henry H. Bolz.
3327—Fred Gobert.
1108—Marion A. Coe.
2617—James B. Miller.
3489—Herbert N Desper.
3362—Luther H. Hiser.
2784—Guy E. Parkison.
2780—Valentine S. Easley.
1910—Herman Baginski.
492—Robert W. Lahr.
1201—Clarence H. Adams.
1978—Homer E. Jackson.
2199—Otto C. Dombraski.
565—Edward Michel.
2033—Robert E. McDonald.
3228—Albert N. Spitzer.
800—Gallie E Hopkins.
1747—Robert R. Grace.
1447—Richard P. Tickell.
1049—John A Barr.
1442—Henry C. Mies.
715—William F. Henderson.

801 TO 850.

961—Troy M. Odor
539—Herbert L. Moore.
349——William T. Mills.
1586—James W. Burns.
562—Chester B. Parkinson.
2436—Harry B. Harper.
1407—Roscoe A. Gunther.
501—Edward H. Bisher.
2386—Francis J. Auburn.
3253—Earl Holladay.
102—George J. Barling.
2025—Albert L. Rokash.
1915—George A. Leaser.
1411—Harry G. Rogers.
1979—Harry H. Tertocha.
875—Edward J. Van Ende.
2769—Ray E. Oakleaf.
2893—Benjamin Woodfork
1780—Joshua F. Harlow.
714—Harry W. Ford.
1528—James H. Alderson
3063—Merl Curtis.
86—Earl Hazel.
1997—Paul H. Stern
1024—Cecil Halbrook.
1281—Frank J. Pryczynski.
2973—Lester R. Corder.
871—Ernest E. Hulett.
1341—George J. Urban.
2563—Roy M. Rubicam.
1566—Raymond E. Wells.
2159—Otto Kujawa.
2212—William F. Sasse.
2728—Donald D. Sharer.
1048—Acie C. Estell.
1606—Ulris Stout.
1924—Carl H. Schwartz.
71—Frank A. Robertson.
1520—Fred L. Barber.
2187—Gus Setterquist.
1972—John Laskowski.
2427—Ralph D Causey.
1690—Earl W. Martin.
1156—Carl J. Simon
1393—Frederick B. Shawhan.
2190—William Lashure.
1583—Harry E. McClelland.
2013—Harland P. Maxwell.
3375—Ray O. Selber.
1850—Otto A. Fitzgerald.
2013—John A. Reynolds.
555—George E. Willard.
978—Charles W. Kunz.
1286—Anthony Sommer.
2674—Ralph M. Moore.
3288—George Rushing.
2375—Clarence R. Jones.
506—William A. Smith.
3316—Roy B. Moore.
3022—Leland E. Godfrey.
2439—William Doolen.
2221—Fred E. Jaschawitz.
1588—Fred W. Gaessler.
1591—Thomas F. Lowry.
3264—Charley Taylor.
2465—Mack Blackburn.
2480—Carl Gray.
1909—Edward Kwasny.
1686—Albert W. Erienbusch.
2053—John J. Kelly.
2772—Bernard D. Kortum.
1391—Roy D. Miller.
1272—Walter C. Scott.
1525—Ignatius L. Durbin.
3384—Charley C. Rushing.
2598—Harry W. Brackett.
2348—Wm. A. McDaniel.
877—Joseph H. Hudson.
435—John D. Randolph.
2096—John W. Jagusch.
681—Leo C. Grayhill.
2705—William A. Diller.
713—Walter H. Labhardt.
2145—Archie W. Trueblood
3156—Fay Ickes.
1478—Gilbert W. Gallagher
3294—Archie V. Brehm.
1928—Alphonso C. Hyde.
935—Kendrick O. Gile.
2691—Harry Redondakis.
2817—Bert W. Branson.
2844—Louis T. Anderegg.
1121—Raymond W. Johnson
1150—Vincent Ballington.
450—Clyde Merriss.
2244—Kenneth V. Oliver.
1390—Harold J. Steele.
113—Herchel Howe.
1658—Robert L. Pope.
2084—George Gurley.

701 TO 750.

1133—Frank W. Reidel.
1214—Clyde L. Watkins.
336—Albert B. Owens.
2342—John H. Jewososki.
2857—Benjamin O. Breeden.
1952—Ernest L. Gant.
212—Rholand E. Duncan.
1357—Hugh D. Kelm.
40—Roscoe R. Carroll.
8—Edward White.
2793—Frank Giberson.
2954—Lucien W. Mueller.
2700—Tony J. Tinkey.
2485—William L. Adams.
1707—Henry M. Krall.
2039—James B. Pryde.
2872—Lester E. Collier.
1160—Harry L. Goins.
1192—Bernard A. Walser.
3313—Clarence E. Walker.
1560—Arthur F. Koch.
805—Monroe Strohl.
1143—Carl Beckett.
557—Charles W. Jones.
2886—Roscoe J. Wright.
1852—John A. Prell.
1483—Fred S. Briggs.
2143—Van Buren Bodine.
1640—Charles Semelka.
1798—William G. Sheiry.
632—Dale Thompson.
2048—Chris Howard.
585—George Smith.
3005—Elmer L. Crane.
2873—Harry C. Christner.
2191—Ben Durbin.
2071—Fillmore Davis.
1464—George E. Topping.
1257—Homer Goins.
1077—Nicholas G. Spell.
1961—John M. Bond.
2816—Virgil Trent.
2851—Earl M. Bradford.
781—Clay Taylor.
2121—Rennie E. Jones.
2666—Wellis W. Shay.
2751—Horatio W. Bean.
2698—Clayborne Shelby.
1415—William R. Mirchell.
1035—George E. Huffer.

DECATUR SAILORS OFF TO PEORIA

Relatives and Friends See Them Leave.

The young men who have been called to report for the navy at Peoria left Friday morning at 10:05 over the Illinois Traction System for the city on the river.

A great crowd of relatives and friends were at the station to see the boys off and not a few tears were shed by mothers and sisters as the naval students finally boarded the car to report for duty and training for the war boats of the nation.

THOSE IN PARTY.

Those who went were Edward Hayes, Frank P. Muleady, Franck C. Myer, Jr., Arthur Delahunty, Percy Williamson, Ray Wright, Stewart McKenzie, Leonard Johnson, Poyntelle Downing, William Foran, John Crinnigan and Lynn Mooney.

Merle Wehmhoff and Eugene Cavanaugh, who have taken the examinations and have passed, were not called at this time and did not go with this crowd.

DECATUR COMPANY TO CAMP LOWDEN

Major Cassell and Seventy Men Leave.

Major J. Frank Cassell and the seventy members of the Decatur company of the new Tenth regiment I. N. G., left at 9 o'clock Friday morning for Camp Lowden, Springfield, where they will be given thirty days or more of intensive training. The men were all in fine spirits and glad to get away.

Early Friday morning the men assembled in Central park and in a little while the recruiting tents that have been in the park since early last spring were taken down and rolled up, and all that now remains is a big grassless spot where the tents stood. It will be some time before there will be a new stand of grass there.

OTHERS GO THROUGH.

Two special cars occupied by the Danville company of the 10th Illinois infantry passed through Decatur this morning on Wabash train No. 9 enroute to Springfield. It was expected that the Decatur company would join the Danville company here but the Decatur boys had already gone by interurban.

INTERESTING BOOKS FOR THE SOLDIERS

About 125 Received at Public Library.

About 125 books have already been turned in to the library authorities for shipment to the soldiers at the training camps. The kind of books which are being sent in indicate that people believe that the soldiers like interesting books.

A surprising number of good books, interesting books, are being sent in and among those already on the special shelves reserved for these books are:

LIST OF BOOKS.

"Graustark."
"Cornell Stories."
"Diana of the Crossways."
"Caleb West."
"54-40 or Fight."
"Johnny Appleseed."
"Burbury Stoke."
"Scarlet Letter."
"John Marvel, Assistant."
"Romola."
"Uncle William."
"Hour of Happiness."
"The Last Shot."
"Clark's Field."
"The Judgment House."
"Coniston."
"Rudder Grange."
"Bunker Bean."
"Yellow Jacket."
"Senator Sage Brush."
"A Singular Life."
"Tish."
"Seed of the Righteous."
"Maid at Arms."

Good poetry by standard authors, stories of this and other wars are included in the books already sent.

The library people will take care of the books and will sort, pack and ship them when a big collection is ready.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Harry H. Tertocha, Decatur.....Legal
Augusta Schlesier, Decatur.....Legal

Scraps of News

WOMAN BREAKS LEG.

Mrs. Wertz, who resides in the Gebhart block, was taken to St. Mary's hospital Friday morning in the Wikoff & Sons ambulance. She fell down stairs and broke her left leg at the knee. She is seventy-five years old.

VISITING HER SON.

Mrs. A. L. Barbey, of St. Louis, is visiting at the home of her son, L. D. Barbey, 1444 North Main street.

BURG REJECTED

Eddie Burg returned from Peoria Friday. He went over there to take the examination for entrance into the navy but was again rejected. He is seven and three quarter pounds too light.

AT MORGANVILLE.

The C. I. & W. will furnish no special train service from Decatur to Osbornville Saturday on account of the Morganville picnic. Decatur people who go by train to the picnic will leave at 12:05 in the afternoon and return at 1:10.

GIVES $20 FOR TWENTY MEMBERS

Robert Mueller Gets Offer from W. B. Ford.

"Here's $20" said W. B. Ford, 961 West William street, to Robert Mueller of the Red Cross membership committee, Thursday. "I want two memberships and then I want you to get eighteen other memberships with the other $18."

Mr. Mueller was glad to take the money and will see that eighteen additional names are put on the Red Cross register in the campaign which is being made this week.

ENCOURAGE WORKERS.

This has become increasingly frequent, this subscribing for one's self and then adding a few dollars for other names to be added to the roll and it encourages the membership workers to find this kind of a spirit in many places in the canvas.

C. H. Leon, chairman of the membership committee of the Red Cross campaign, will be at the office of the Association of Commerce Friday and Saturday night to receive reports from the captains of the different sections to which they have been assigned.

PUT MANY TO WORK.

Many applications for a chance to work are coming in to the work committee of the Red Cross and the committee is arranging to put all at work who can be accommodated. Three little girls applied Friday morning and Mrs. George Wright found something for them to do.

Friday the Elks' ladies had charge of the work and were busy cutting and sewing.

The branch at Boody sent in for supplies with which to work. The demand for supplies is causing the local members of the work committee to be busy cutting up cloth and buying additional goods.

MRS. LINDSEY'S CARD.

Mrs. L. M. Lindsey, of the Forsyth branch of the Decatur chapter of the Red Cross, has received her card from Washington which shows that she has passed the examination successfully for instructor in the making of gauze medical dressings. Mrs. Lindsey attended the lectures in Bloomington which were given there by a national instructor and afterward Mrs. Lindsey took the examination. She has been in charge of this branch of the work there since Mrs. Will Parnes has been away and she has now received her official card which makes her an authorized instructor in the work.

WOMAN'S BUREAU.

Plans are being made for the establishment of a woman's bureau in the supervision of the making of the articles now turned out by the Red Cross work committees. It is also unofficially announced that certain technical imperfections will probably be overlooked under the supervision of the new committee.

Exact specifications have been necessary to get something like uniformity in the work sent in from so many hundred other stations but it is believed that the extremely close inspection will be eased up a bit and more work passed for use than in the earlier days of the war work.

The changes being considered are toward simplification in the making of surgical dressings, hospital garments and other supplies and when they are definitely decided upon word will be sent out to the chapter committees.

CHARGED WITH THEFT OF TIRES

Adolphus Howell, Salesman, to Held in Decatur.

Adolphus Howell, a salesman, forty-five years old, giving St. Louis as his home, was arrested here Friday by Officer Joe Clark on a state warrant sworn out by R. E. Andrews. Andrews says that last October six automobile tires were stolen from him and that Friday he saw three of them on a car belonging to Howell. He identified the tires by the numbers which he had kept. Howell was turned over to the sheriff.

New York Money.

New York Aug. 3.—Mercantile paper, 4½ per cent.
Bar silver, 50¾c.
Mexican dollars, 42¾c
Time loans 4@4½ per cent.
Call money, High, 2½ per cent; low, 2 per cent; closing bid, 2 per cent.

MISS STONE QUITS DECATUR SCHOOLS

Supervisor of Domestic Science Resigns.

OFFER IN COLORADO

She Has Been Successful in Decatur Work.

Miss Elizabeth Stone supervisor of domestic science in the Decatur schools and teacher in the high school, has offered her resignation.

The announcement of her resignation can scarcely be called official, but the resignation is doubtless in Superintendent Engleman's mail which is awaiting his return. Miss



MISS STONE.

Stone signified by a long distance telephone call that she had sent in her resignation and said the same thing in a letter to Principal Deam of the high school.

COLORADO OFFER.

Last year Miss Stone received an offer from Colorado Springs which she declined. It is understood that this offer has been renewed and that she has accepted it. The matter cannot be considered as finally settled until Superintendent Engleman has returned. Miss Stone will be here next week to see him.

SUCCESS IN WORK.

Miss Stone inaugurated domestic science in the Decatur schools, having charge of the first class in the E. A. Gastman school building when the subject was introduced. Her work was successful from the beginning, and it has grown in scope until she directs all of that work in the Decatur school system. She is unusually able and efficient and her leaving will be a distinct loss to the schools.

C. B. DENMAN SICK.

C. B. Denman, head of the mechanical art department in the Decatur high school, is at his home sick. He has just returned from the University of Chicago, where he has been studying this summer. His illness is attributed to overwork and the excessive heat in Chicago. He is reported as somewhat better today.

SUMMER SCHOOL CLOSES.

The summer school at the Decatur high school will close next week, and after that is out of the way the building will be turned over to the cleaners and painters. The floors in the main corridors will be repaned. The decorators are now at work in the auditorium.

H. P. KEAN NEW J. M. U. INSTRUCTOR

Succeeds C. B. Tibbetts, Who Was Killed.

Hugh P. Kean, of Lebanon, Ill., has been selected by the authorities of the James Millikin university to fill the vacancy in the mathematical department at the university for the coming year. He takes the place of the late Charles B. Tibbetts, who was killed this summer.

Mr. Kean is a widely traveled scholar and has done graduate work both at the University of Illinois and the University of Chicago, while he has been a teacher of collegiate mathematics for several years.

GRADUATE OF ALBION.

He is a graduate of Albion college, Mich., in 1906 and the University of Illinois in 1909. He took graduate work at the University of Chicago in the summer of 1915 and 1916.

He served as assistant instructor at the University of Illinois and as professor at Ripon college in 1910.

The following year he went to Ottawa college and the last two years has been instructor in mathematics at McKendree college. He comes to the university with the best of references.

MACON WOMAN SERIOUSLY SICK

Mrs. L. Cazalet in Grave Condition at Home of Daughter.

Word has been received in Decatur that Mrs. Lina Cazalet, formerly of Macon, is in a very serious condition at the home of her daughter Mrs. T. H. Wheeler, in Chicago, and the doctors fear that she may live only a few hours. She has been ill for several months but Sunday she suddenly became worse and has been steadily sinking since then.

Pleasure Comes Unexpectedly.

Cairo Bulletin. Pleasure is very seldom found where it is sought. Our brightest blazes of gladness are commonly kindled by unexpected sparks.

J. L. EBERT, OLD RESIDENT, DEAD

Operated Decatur Candy Store Many Years.

45 YEARS IN DECATUR

Died on Anniversary of Reaching This City.

J. Leo Ebert, one of the old residents of Decatur and widely known, died at noon Friday at the Decatur and Macon County hospital. His home was at 1845 North Edward street. He had been suffering from paralysis for a long time, and was taken to the hospital Wednesday. The body was removed to the Moran undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

For a number of years in the early 80's Mr. Ebert conducted a confectionery at 155 North Water street, later moving to a room on Prairie street just west of the National Bank of Decatur. He was perhaps the first man in Decatur to operate an exclusive candy store.

45 YEARS IN DECATUR.

Mr. Ebert came to Decatur forty-five years ago today. Johannes Leo Ebert was seventy-two years old. Death resulted from creeping paralysis, with which he has been suffering for the last seven years.

He was born in Alfalter, Bavaria, Germany, Dec. 1, 1845, and lived there until 1872, when he emigrated to America, settling in Decatur Aug. 3, 1872. He was a locksman by trade, but did not practice his trade. After he came to Decatur he worked in the furniture factory until 1881, when he and his brother, William, opened Decatur's first candy store. He remained in partnership with his brother for three years and then started in business for himself.

In 1886 he retired from business on account of ill health and lived in the 2600 block on North Edward.

MARRIED IN 1881.

In 1881 he was married to Bertha Hersog. There were no children. A foster daughter, Mrs. Arnold Feasner of St. Louis survives him. Since 1881 he had been a member of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, and held offices of responsibility in the church. He was treasurer, trustee and elder successively, and took an active interest in building up the church.

Funeral services will be held at the home Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. at the family residence, 1445 North Edward street, and at 4 o'clock at the church. Burial will be in Greenwood. Friends may call at the residence to see the body after 3 o'clock.

ONLY ONE NEW CASE OF TYPHOID

Officials Have Situation Well in Hand.

The only new case of typhoid fever reported today was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Flyng, 1032 West Howard street. This makes the total number in the city forty-one, but it is thought that there will be very few more develop.

Bernice Russell, 511 South Boyd street, was taken to St. Mary's hospital Thursday night and she is not doing as nicely as her brother Raymond who also has the fever. He is still at home.

NOT SO WELL.

Sarah Bowman, 525 South Sigel street, is not as well today as her two sisters. They have been ill longer and are beginning to improve.

Mrs. C. J. Van Deventer passed a restless night but today she rested quietly.

The son of Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Ward is not very comfortable today and Miss Nellie Bailey is no better.

Miss Charlotte West is slowly improving now and the family feels very much encouraged.

Fred Hurd is also improving slowly.

FUNERALS

W. J. MYERS.

The funeral of W. J. Myers was held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the family residence, 1359 South Broadway. There was a large attendance. Mr. Myers was a veteran of the Civil war, and many of his old soldier friends were present at the funeral. The services were conducted by Rev. S. E. Long, pastor of the First United Brethren church.

The music was furnished by Mrs. W. Roy Essick. The pallbearers were Leo Cook, Frank Smith, L. E. Gardner and D. F. Ayers. The interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

THOMAS HOOTS.

The body of Thomas Hoots, who was drowned in the river at Polo Wednesday, arrived in Decatur Thursday evening and was taken to the Monson & Wilcox chapel to await arrangements for the funeral, which will be held some time Saturday.

JOSEPH BRADLEY.

The funeral of Joseph Bradley will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at St. Stanislaus' Catholic church, Macon. The funeral party will leave Moran's chapel in automobiles at 9:15 o'clock.

THOMAS HOOTS.

The funeral of Thomas Hoots will be held from the residence, 846 West Packard street, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Burial will be in Fairlawn.

MRS. SARAH COLLIER.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Collier was held Friday morning at the Grace Methodist church, Rev. E. L. Shaver officiating. The music was furnished by Mrs. C. H. Bear, Capitola Funk, Mrs. Roy Baker and Mrs. Kirkland. Miss Nita Clark was the accompanist. The pall-bearers were J. W. Hawver, F. M. Roberts, William Schroll, J. E. Downey, W. H. Fritz, and D. M. Camp. The body was taken to Edinburg.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Miller, 2132 North Woodford street, July 30, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O. Martin, 422 East Division street, July 30, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Burns, R. F. D. No. 8, July 31, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clem, 723 West Packard street, Saturday, July 28, a daughter. She has been named Virginia Dale.

People You Know

Mrs. B. P. Johnson and children, 441 South McClellan street, left Friday for Vincennes, Ind., where they will visit for two weeks before motoring to Indianapolis and Chicago.

MEETINGS.

Court of Honor—Regular meeting Decatur Tourist Court, No. 20, this evening at 8 o'clock in the K. P. hall, Powers building.

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